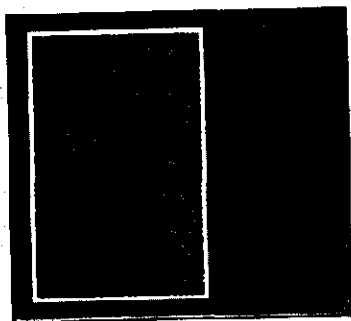


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608 BARKER BUILDING OMAHA, NEBRASKA 68102



1973 N.A.R.C. Calendar

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Each year the National Association for Retarded Children and Metropolitan Fine Art Corporation sponsor a Christmas Card Design contest. This contest gives retarded persons an opportunity to design cards for our National Christmas Card Sales Program.

Below are the three 1971 National winners.

FIRST PLACE

Carla Poplin NO. 986
Asheville, N.C.
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Debra J. Hansen NO. 961
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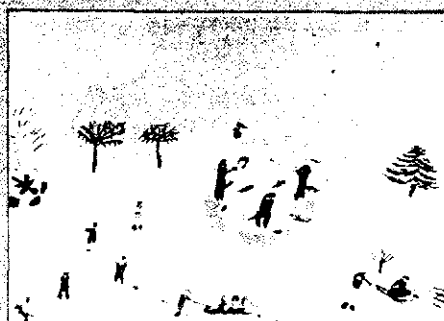
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A Merry Christmas,
the brightest and best
and a year that will
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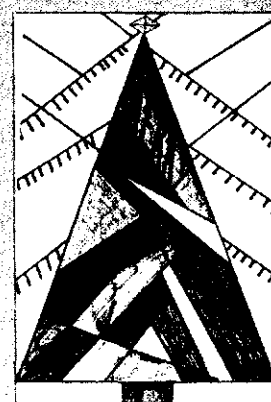
Have a very
Happy Holiday Season!
Size: 4 1/4" x 7 1/2"
\$4.00



THIRD PLACE

NO. 925
Winter Fun
Seasons Greetings
and
Best Wishes for a
Happy Holiday Season

Size: 4 3/4" x 6 3/4"
\$3.00



HONORABLE MENTION

NO. 916
Christmas Tree

Warm wishes for a Merry
Christmas and
a Happy New Year
Size: 4" x 6 1/4"
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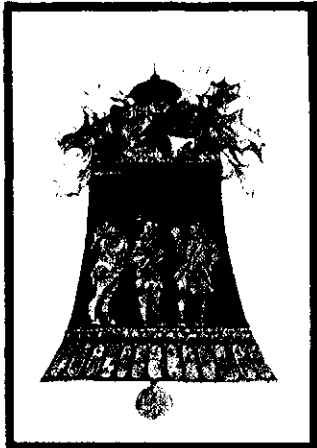
HONORABLE MENTION

NO. 902
The Journey

May the blessings
of Christmas be with you
throughout the New Year
Size: 4" x 6 3/4"
\$2.00



These cards may be ordered on the same order blank as the other cards shown in this brochure.



NO. 937
Christmas Bell
*Best Wishes for a
Happy Holiday Season*
Size: 4 3/4" x 6 3/4"
\$3.00

NO. 950
Birds in Winter
*Seasons Greetings and
Sincere Good Wishes for
your Happiness*
Size: 4 3/4" x 7 1/2"
\$4.00



NO. 901
Peace
*May the Peace and
Happiness of the
Season be Yours
today and every
day throughout
the New Year*
Size: 4" x 6 3/4"
\$2.00



NO. 936
Which Way Now?
*Merry Christmas and
a Happy New Year*
Size: 4 3/4" x 6 3/4"
\$3.00

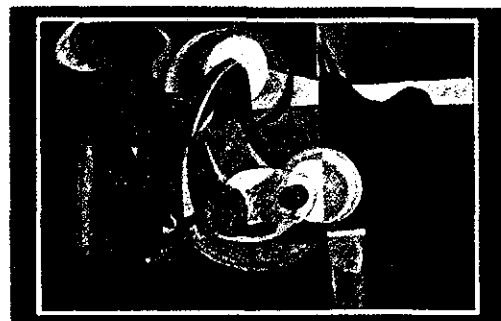


NO. 915
The Little Shepherd
*Have a Joyous Christmas
and a really
Glad New Year*
Size: 4" x 6 3/4"
\$2.00

NO. 900
Pine Trees
*Greetings of the Season
and Sincere Good Wishes
for your Happiness*
Size: 4" x 6 3/4"
\$2.00



NO. 951
Holy Family
*To wish you Peace
at Christmas and
throughout the coming
New Year*
Size: x 4 3/4" x 7 1/2"
\$4.00



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NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CHILDREN
CHRISTMAS CARD DIVISION
215 First Street, Cambridge, Mass. 02142
FROM:

Name of Individual				
Street & No., or Box No.				
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QUANTITY OF BOXES REQUIRED	NO.	NAME OF CARD	PRICE PER BOX	TOTAL
	900	Pine Trees	\$2.00	
	901	Peace	2.00	
	902	The Journey	2.00	
	915	The Little Shepherd	2.00	
	916	Christmas Tree	2.00	
	925	Winter Fun	3.00	
	935	The Littlest Angel	3.00	
	936	Which Way Now?	3.00	
	937	Christmas Bell	3.00	
	950	Birds in Winter	4.00	
	951	Holy Family	4.00	
	961	Snowman	4.00	
	975	Wintertime	5.00	
	985	Peace on Earth	5.00	
	986	Santa Claus	5.00	
	997	20 Assorted Christmas Cards	1.50	
	998	1973 N.A.R.C. Calendar	1.00 ea.	
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Check or M.O. enclosed				
*Please add 85¢ Postage and Handling for 1 or 2 boxes, plus 15¢ for each additional box more than 2.				
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DO double check your quantities, you order blank and your mathematical processes to avoid errors.

DO enclose checks or money orders with all orders, clearly indicating the amount of "additional donation" and to whom it is to be credited — i.e. your unit or NARC.

DO NOT order through NARC by phone or written form. It slows up orders.

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We will imprint your name on the inside of each card under the greeting in a matching color. The cost of this is \$2.00 per box of 25 cards, two or three boxes of the same design \$3.50, for each additional box \$.50. Space for your instructions to us is on the Order Blank.

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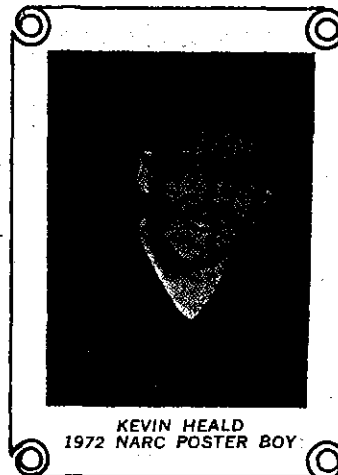
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EACH BOX CONTAINS 25 CARDS

EACH CARD INCLUDES THIS SPECIAL MESSAGE

The purchase of this card represents a contribution to the Associations for Retarded Children.



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CHILDREN

The National Association for Retarded Children and its over 1,500 member units believe that every mentally retarded child and adult has the right to be understood, respected and helped.

They are dedicated not only to securing these rights, but also to the support of research which will further knowledge as to the causes of mental retardation, and to the implementation of prevention programs based on that knowledge.

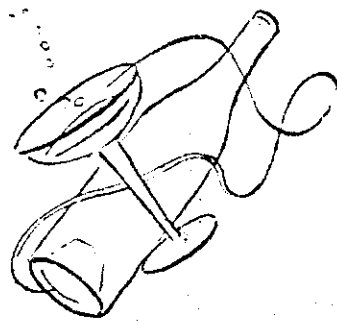
When you purchase Christmas cards, you are sharing in this meaningful humanitarian effort.



THANK YOU FOR HELPING
THE RETARDED
HELP THEMSELVES!



*Have a happy
and healthy
New Year*



Don't make



*if you don't
keep it*

ENCOR

**EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY
OFFICE OF RETARDATION**

headliner

Volume 2.01

January 1, 1972

**ENCOR STARTS
NEW YEAR WITH BANG**

Between two new developmental centers opening on the first working day in '72,

January 3, two short work weeks, a new central office supportive system (IBM mag card typewriters), ENCOR is starting off '72 with a bang.

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**WEST OMAHA AND
FREMONT OPEN DOORS**

On January 3, the two new developmental centers---West Omaha and Fremont officially

opened their doors. Fremont starts with five children, West Omaha with twelve.

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**SKARNULIS TO BE
FAMILY RESOURCE DIRECTOR**

As of January 3, Edward R. Skarnulis will be the new Director of Family Resource

Services. Ed has his bachelor's degree in sociology from UNO and his M.S.W. from the University of Nebraska at Lincoln. Skarnulis' field experience includes: Director of Area Residential Care, Inc., and Director of Social Services, Glenwood State Home - School for the Mentally Retarded in Glenwood, Iowa. Family Resource Services encompass all the basic supportive services underlying other ENCOR programs; i.e., medical, speech and physical therapy, recreation and leisure time activities, crisis assistance, and foster care.

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2.

ANSWERING SERVICES FOR CENTRAL OFFICE

On December 17, we began using an answering service for the Central Office. The answering service will be getting all calls to the Central Office between 5 p.m. and 8 a.m. on weekdays, plus weekends, holidays or other closed-down days on a 24 hour basis.

The answering service will be answering all calls which come in on 558-1115. The person at the reception desk at 5 p.m. will turn a switch to stop calls from rotating to other lines when 1115 is busy. The person at the reception desk will also be responsible for calling the answering service at 8 a.m. each morning to get our messages (Ann's Answering Service, Phone 344-4377).

The answering service has been given procedures to follow in notifying appropriate ENCOT staff members in case of various kinds of emergencies. Our counselors have also been instructed on these procedures and will be available for emergency pages on the pageboy directly from Ann's Answering Service. The answering service has also been provided with a directory of ENCOT staff members including home phones and addresses. So that the answering service may answer a number of routine calls the recreation department plans to provide weekend program information to the answering service.

If you are working in the Central Office after 5 p.m. or on weekends, please do not answer any calls on 1115. If you wish for someone to contact you directly at the office during these times, please instruct them to dial 1116. Therefore, if you are in the office during these hours you may answer any calls on 1116 or subsequent lines. Also if you are in the office during these hours, you may wish to contact the answering service since they will refer calls from 1115 directly to this office for you.

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3.

HAILS . . .

to Sherrell L. Sullinger, housekeeper, Kvetuse Tauchman, cook, and Jean-Claude Cherica, technician, all of the Behavior Shaping Unit... Carol Peterson, part-time teacher at the Benson Vocational Services Center... Gary Zsoksak, a bus aide for the Sarpy Developmental Center... Jerry Sadofsky, houseparent assistant; and to Patricia May, houseparent assistant at Crisis Assistance Unit.

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AND FAREWELLS. . .

to Leonard Dougherty, technician; Calvin Gorman, technician; Sheryl Ann Hobbs, housekeeper, all of the Behavior Shaping Unit... Marilyn Chattfield, a psychologist in Supportive Services... and to Wanda Minton and Jeanne Snapp, both teachers at the Sarpy Developmental Center.

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PROMOTIONS. . .

Al Adam from Assistant Trainer to Trainer at the Benson Vocational Services Center; Gene Kopecky from part-time to full-time in Recreation; Celeste Rolling from part-time to full-time as a teacher aide; Robert Payne from part-time teacher to full-time; Linda Newly from part-time teacher aide to full-time.

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N. OMAHA V.S.C. HEADED BY CHANDLER

Virgil R. Chandler has been hired as the Project Director for the future North Omaha Vocational Services Center. Chandler's responsibilities will include seeking a suitable location and establishing a Vocational Services Center to serve the North Omaha area. Chandler has previously served as the ATEC Supervisor of Supportive Systems; a program specialist for the Lincoln Job Corps; and, as Administrative Assistant to Thomas Doyle, Nebraska State Commissioner of Labor.

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DEBRA TO LEAD ENCOT VOLUNTEERS

Debra McCollister has been gradually assuming her duties as full-time Volunteer Coordinator for ENCOT. She will work out of the Central Office. In addition to recruiting, training, and assigning volunteers, Debra will also be responsible for scheduling all tours.

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ENCOR

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AK-SAR-BEN MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE

of the Central Office. Here are the entertainers your \$12.00 family membership will buy:

July 24-28	First Family Show Sesame Street
Aug. 7-11	First Membership Show featuring Carol Lawrence and comic George Kirby
Aug. 14-18	Second Family Show - The Bugs Bunny Show
Aug. 21-25	Second Membership Show featuring Danny Davis and his Nashville Brass, Jeannie C. Riley and Sonny James
Sept. 4-8	Third Membership Show -- Debbie Reynolds and her Las Vegas Show

In addition, Ak-Sar-Ben members also get discount tickets to the Shipstad and Johnson Ice Follies, April 4-9; the Annual Rodeo and Livestock Show, Sept 22-30; and the racing season May 2-July 15.

For additional information contact Judie Rasco at Central Office.

Omaha's best \$12.00 entertainment package is back and available through Judie Rasco

Volume 2.02

January 15, 1972

CITIZEN ADVOCACY LUNCHEON TOPIC

Kenton Williams, Assistant Regional Director of the Office of Child Development,

will discuss citizen advocacy at the noon meeting of the Eastern Nebraska Mental Health Association. The luncheon meeting, open to the public will be at the Royal Executive Inn.

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WEST OMAHA DEV. CENTER HOLDS OPEN HOUSE

On Friday, January 14, at 7:00 p.m. The newly opened West Omaha Developmental

Center, 9416 Center Street, will hold its official OPEN HOUSE. All of the staff will be on hand to explain the program and the curriculum. If you can't go tonight - try to stop in in the near future. Vi and her staff are very proud of their facility.

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ENCOR BUS EXPANDS

The newly acquired '66 Chevrolet School Bus has already begun covering its

route between Blair and Fremont. The bus which leaves Blair at 7:15 a.m. takes people to the Vocational Service Center, Fremont Branch and the Fremont Developmental Center and returns to Blair around 4:45 p.m. In addition, when the bus is not doing this run, it will be used for recreation and other activities.

HAILS TO . . .

Marvin Gum, a teacher aide at Sarpy; Donna Mehloff, Cook at the Fremont Developmental Center; Max Runyan, technician at Behavior Shaping Unit; Jack Cornelius, assistant house parent at Fremont hostel; Ruth Whitney, speech clinician with Karen Faison; and to Bob Loffer, trainer at Bellevue WAC.

FAREWELLS TO . . .

Phyllis Jordan a teacher at Sarpy Developmental Center, and to Arliss Drain, technician at Behavior Shaping.

SPECIAL HELLO . . .

Jim Londay has returned to the ENCOR System of Services from Fort Wayne, Indiana and will be spearheading the development of a South Omaha Vocational Services Center. Welcome back, Jim.

BITS AND PIECES . . .

A tanned and relaxed Jane Lonnquist finally made it back from Hawaii where she and her husband vacationed over New Year's. Jane indicated however, that their return flight was less than soothing. It seems that 3 hours out of Honolulu they lost an engine and had to return to the islands. Naturally, they missed their connecting flights, but they finally made it.....Tom Miller is back on duty after having traveled much of the Southwest and Western section of California, New Mexico, Nevada and Arizona.....Jim Johnson has transferred to Recreation and Leisure Time Activities from Family Guidance.....A sign seen at Central Office reads "To Err is Human, To Really Foul Things Up Takes an IBM Mag Card System".....For those of you that haven't been in the Central Office for awhile, you won't recognize the maze...The flu has taken its toll of staff - there was one day last week when 5 secretaries out of 7 were home sick....A GOARC Residential Task Force is beginning to take shape.....A Poverty and MR Committee (GOARC), and the Health Department will be co-sponsoring a rubella and rubeola clinic for our youngsters, their younger siblings, and pre-school age neighbor children sometime in February.

THE MYSTERY OF THE DIPPER AND THE BUCKET

You have heard of the cup that overflowed. This is the story of a bucket that is like that cup only larger; it is an invisible bucket. Everyone has one. It is always with us. It determines how we feel about ourselves, about others, and how we get along with people. Have you ever experienced a series of very favorable things which made you want to be good to people for a week? When this happens your bucket is full to overflowing.

A bucket can be filled by a lot of things that happen. When a person speaks to you, recognizing you as a human being, your bucket is filled a little -- even more if he calls you by name. If he compliments you on your dress or on a job well done, the level in your bucket goes up still higher. There must be a million ways to raise the level in another's bucket.

But remember, this is a theory about a bucket and a dipper. Other people have dippers and they can get their dippers in your bucket. Let's say I am having lunch at a restaurant and inadvertently upset a malt that spills all over the table and onto a girl's skirt. I am embarrassed. "Bright eyes" across the table says, "you upset your malt." I made a mistake. I knew I did, and then he told me about it! He got his dipper in my bucket! Think of the times a person makes a mistake, feels terrible about it, only to have someone tell him about the mistake as though he did not know it happened.

Buckets are filled and buckets are emptied. When a person's bucket is emptied, he is very different than when it is full. You say to a person whose bucket is empty, "that's a pretty tie you have," and he may reply in an irritated, defensive way, "what's the matter with my tie now?"

The story of our lives is the interplay of the bucket and the dipper. Everyone has both. The secret of the bucket and the dipper is that when you fill another's bucket it does not take anything out of your own bucket. The level in our own bucket gets higher when we fill another's and, on the other hand, when we dip into another's bucket we do not fill our own -- we lose a little.

Sometimes we can protect ourselves and others by saying "Hey, you have your dipper in my bucket!" or "We are getting our dippers in his bucket." Instead we can say, "Let's fill his bucket" and, in doing this, experience the mystery of the dipper and the bucket!

Donald O. Clifton

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BENSON ZOO BENEFITS CENTER

The Montessori students in Bobbie Davis' classroom enjoyed a day at the "Zoo" right in their classroom. Previous lessons discussing and identifying animals of the farm and zoo led to the day of fun and excitement on Tuesday, January 11, from 9:30 until noon. "Counter cages" held rubber animals: lion, tiger, elephant, giraffe, camel, zebra, porcupine, monkey and a kangaroo. From the ceiling hung a bird cage with a stuffed canary and a bee hive with "mock" bees. Among the live animals were: "Pansy" the cat, "Willard" the hamster, "Heathcliff and Microft" the gerbils, and "Jack" the talking mynah bird.

Balloons and popcorn sold for a "penny" each. Zoo admission was also one cent. Among distinguished guests visiting the zoo were: Dr. Charles Galloway, Director; Linda Flatter, Counselor; Debbie McCollister, Volunteer Coordinator, and her two guests; Rev. John Whittington; Peggy Warren and her class; our head teacher, Phyllis Chandler; Mrs. Reynolds and Pastor Heidner, Benson Baptist Church; Cathie Cavanaugh's class with aide, Barb Schaefer; and our secretary, Joan Parr.

Eddie Cates, age 5, took admission at the door. Wally Fague, Willie Butler and Bobbie Davis were the zoo attendants. The children raised \$1.00 and plan to present it to ENCOR for the Benson Developmental Center's Equipment Fund. Oh boy, we had fun!!!

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BEHAVIOR SHAPING TO BE AT CAPACITY

Beatrice.

By February 15, the Behavior Shaping Unit should be at capacity with the arrival of five more clients from

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WEST CENTER OPENING SUCCESS

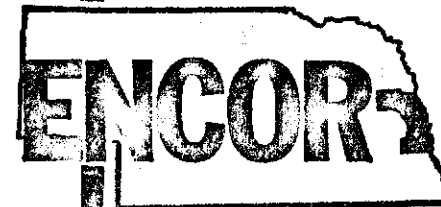
In sub-zero weather, on January 14, more than 80 people made the trip to the grand opening of the West Developmental Center. The program was short and concise and the coffee good and hot. Everyone was congenial and impressed by the facility and the staff.

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FREMONT DEVELOPMENTAL TO HAVE OPENING

The Fremont Developmental Center is planning an open house for Tuesday, February 8, at 7:30 p.m. If you are in the area, please drop in for a cup of coffee.

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EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY OFFICE OF RETARDATION

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Volume 2.03

January 31, 1972

DEVELOPMENTAL CENTERS TO CLOSE FEBRUARY 4

ENCOR Developmental Division Programs will be closed all day on Friday, February 4.

The staffs of our Centers will be participating in an all day "In-Service" at Kountze Memorial Church.

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BOARD OF GOVERNORS RE-ELECTS MAGNUSSON

At the annual meeting of of ENCOR's Board of Governors, Norm Magnusson, Sarpy County

Commissioner, was re-elected as Chairman of the Board. Vice-Chairman is Floyd Triplett, Washington County Commissioner. Other members of the Board are: Grant Roberts, Cass County; Laverne Marquardt, Dodge County; and Dan Lynch, Douglas County.

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IT'S MEMBERSHIP TIME FOR GOARC

Brian Lensink is strongly encouraging ALL staff to express their professionalism

and their support for the parents of the mentally retarded by joining GOARC. Membership is \$7.00 per year. Truly a bargain, and an easy way to keep abreast of new developments in our field on a local, state, and national level. See the enclosed yellow brochure for more details.

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SOL GORDON TO ADDRESS STAFF ON 16th

Sol Gordon, Ph.D., and Professor of Child and Family Studies in the College of

Human Development at Syracuse University will address the ENCOR staff on Wednesday, February 16 at 3:00 p.m. Dr. Gordon is a Fellow of American Psychological Association and past chairman of its clinical child section. Dr. Gordon will be discussing sexuality and the mentally retarded.

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AK-SAR-BEN MEMBER-
SHIPS STILL AVAILABLE

The biggest and best entertainment bargain found anywhere is your AK-SAR-BEN membership. For \$12.00 you will receive more than \$75.00 worth of entertainment for you and your family. This year's package includes three free member shows headlined by: Carol Lawrence and George Kirby, August 7-11; Danny Davis and his Nashville Brass, Jeannie C. Riley and Sonny James, August 21-25; and Debbie Reynolds, September 4-8. In addition, there are two free Family Shows: July 24-28 with Mr. Green Jeans and August 14-18 with the Bugs Bunny Show. In addition, members receive reduced-price tickets to the Ice Follies (April 4-9) and the Rodeo (September 22-30) and the choice of a season pass for two to the races or tickets to the coronation or Ball. . . . All for \$12.00. Drop your application and check on Judie Rasco's desk to take advantage of this great opportunity.

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SOUTH BOWLING
PROGRAM STARTED

On Tuesday afternoons, starting Jan. 25, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. at the Leisure Lanes (4811 "L" Street). ENCOR will be operating a bowling program for children and young adults, ages 8 to 16 years. Cost is \$0.80 for 2 lines of bowling plus bowling shoes. Sue Elliott is in charge.

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BENSON VSC
IS REMODELED

The painful inconvenience of remodeling has almost been completed at the Benson VSC. Included in this project was the development of a secretarial area.

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BELLEVUE HAS
1st ANNIVERSARY

The Bellevue VSC celebrated its first anniversary on January 27th. This VSC opened with 9 clients; now has 32. Three clients have been placed: one at Lozier, one at Holiday Inn, and one at St. Joseph's hospital in the Laundry. Bellevue VSC has had 11 different contracts over the past year.

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HAILS TO . . .

Norma Hemesath, a teacher at South Omaha Developmental Center . . . Pat Nolan, teacher; Louise Turner, teacher; Don Reinke, aide; and Iris Simonin, secretary-aide all of Sarpy Developmental Center . . . Ann Kopenski, technician; and George Mezinko, teacher-assistant at Behavior Shaping . . . William Scheibeler, supervisor of Lozier Work Station . . . Tom Childress, trainer at Bellevue Vocational Services Center . . . James Mulicek, teacher-aide at West Omaha Developmental Center . . . Vicki Miller, technician at Behavior Shaping . . . William Doucette, residential department supervisor at Central Office . . . LaVonne Meldonado, bus driver of the Blair-Fremont bus.

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FAREWELLS TO . . .

Elaine Smith, cook at the Sarpy Developmental Center . . . Bill Gossin, supervisor of the Lozier Work Station . . . Margaret Schnepf, technician at Behavior Shaping.

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DEVELOPMENTAL
HOMES STAFFED

Marsha Honrath has transferred from the Recreation Department to Family Resource Services as the coordinator of the Developmental Home (similar to foster homes) program. Marsha will be assisted by Tom Decastanzo, a part-time consultant from Dr. Menolascino's staff.

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SARPY DEV.
STARTS NEW PROGRAM

Very shortly, several of the pre-school aged youngsters in the Sarpy Developmental Center will spend a couple of days a week at the Welcome School in Bellevue. This represents the ultimate in normalization, i.e. the integration of the retarded with the "normal."

Two of Sarpy's students, Nikki Nielsen and David Richards are slated to start public school very soon.

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NEWS FROM
RECREATION

In an effort to improve communications between the staff of the various centers and the ENCOR Recreation staff, the Recreation Department will be expanding its use of the Headliner. Because the Recreation staff is responsible for programming leisure time activities for all clients including those in the centers, we feel that input from all ENCOR staff would be most valuable to our programs. So... we invite your participation in, suggestions for, questions about and criticisms of our programs. We plan to use this column to present new programs which are still in the planning stage as well as the schedule and details of those programs which are about to begin. In addition, we intend to present some of the philosophy and rationale involved in our recreation programming. Please feel free to contact any of the Recreation staff if you feel the need to do so.

Bill Hinze, Coordinator	Sue Elliott, Physical Development
Gene Kopecky, Program Assistant	Freida Keruzis, Part-time supervisor
Margaret Sova, Part-time supervisor	Mel Cohen, Part-time supervisor
Sarah Creel, Part-time supervisor	Jack Knickman, Fremont supervisor
Jim Johnson, Socio-Cultural Development	

CHILDREN'S PHYSICAL &
CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT

Beginning on Saturday, January 29,
from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., ENCOR
will offer a new program---"Physical
and Creative Development for Children". This program will be held for 12
Saturdays at the UNO Women's Physical Education Building at 60th and Dodge
Streets. The program has been designed for a staged advancement of the
participants in the areas of physical and creative development. Transpor-
tation will be provided from the South, Chance, and Benson Developmental
Centers. The fee is \$12.00 for all 12 weeks. For information, contact
Sue Elliott.

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CREATIVE PLAY
FOR UNDER 5'ers

A Saturday morning Creative Play
Program was started on Saturday,
January 15, and will go to April 1,
from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Kountze Memorial Church. Fee for entire
program is \$3.00. Each child will have his or her own volunteer and will
be provided with a variety of experiences each week.

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VALENTINE PARTY
FOR TEENS

On Friday, February 11, from 6:00
to 9:00 p.m., the teens will have a
Valentine Party at the Downtown "Y".
430 South 20th Street. There will be no charge to attend. Refreshments
and dancing.

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ADULTS TO HAVE
PARTY, TOO

The adults will have their Valentine
Party on Saturday, February 12, from
8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at the Down-
town "Y", 430 South 20th Street. Highlighting the party will be refreshments
and dancing. There will be a 50¢ charge per person.

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4.

WORDS FOR A DOWNS SYNDROME CHILD

We didn't want you,
Helpless child of fifteen days;
You were in the way,
So we shoved you into a corner...
and let you starve to death.

No one wanted you,
Helpless child of fifteen days;
Not your parents,
Nor the "helping" professionals,
Nor those who speak for God,
Nor men using their wits to uphold justice.

Why didn't we want you,
Helpless child of fifteen days?
Would you have stood in the way of our mad chase
after the ideal family?
(Which none of us will ever achieve.)
Would we trip over you as we raise higher
the GNP as our Holy Grail?
(We must be "Number One" you know.)
Is it because we have never learned
to live graciously with our failures?
(Failure is such a hard thing to face.)
Is it because your less-than-perfect presence
reminded us that we all have drives to
"be something"?
(We never want to be "a nothing".)

You bothered us,
Helpless child of fifteen days;
We had to reject you
Because you made too obvious something in ourselves...
That we just didn't want to face.

Bob Perske



DID I DO
SOMETHING WRONG?

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"FIDDLER" TO
BENEFIT ENCOR's D.M.U.

"Fiddler on the Roof"
a cinema musical which
promises to be the most

delightful film of our time will begin its Omaha engagement with a benefit premiere on March 15th at the Admiral Theatre. Reserved tickets are on a first come, first serve basis. All proceeds will go to the proposed Developmental Maximization Unit for profoundly retarded children. General admission (all seats are reserved) is \$10.00. For your reserved tickets call Judie at the Central Office. Mrs. Sam J. Howell and Eugene A. Leahy are the co-chairmen of this benefit.

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Fremont Dev. Center
has OPEN HOUSE

On Tuesday, February 8th,
about 40 people braved
the chill to attend the

official OPEN HOUSE of the new Fremont Developmental Center. This Center has been open since January 3rd and is currently serving 9 children.

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NEW HOSTELS
TO OPEN

The women's hostel in
Blair is nearing comple-
tion. Target date for

opening is March 1. We will also open a new hostel in Fremont in mid-February. This hostel, a duplex, will have facilities for six children between the ages of 5 and 14. Half of the unit will be opened at the middle of the month; second half about March 1st.

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HAILS TO. . .

Jim Duffy, a training assistant at the Benson V.S.C. . . . Doris Hier, cook at the Sarpy Dev. Center . . . Athlone Bates, teacher-aide at CHANCE Dev. Center . . . Linda Rutledge, training aide at the Fremont Dev. Center . . . Sandra Carlish, cook at the West Dev. Center . . . Michael Costello, houseparent assistant at the Fremont hostel . . . Rebecca Fritz, houseparent assistant at the Hamilton hostel . . . Bonnie Nelson, clerk and jack-of-all trades in the Family Resource Division . . . Henry Key, counselor in Family Guidance . . . and, Barbara Davis and Barbara Hickey, secretaries in the IBM Word Processing Center of Central Office.

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FAREWELLS TO . . .

Marvin Gum, teacher-aide and Elaine Smith, cook, both of the Sarpy Developmental Center . . . Arlys Drain, technician; Sherly Hobbs, housekeeper; and Margaret Schnepf, teacher assistant, all of the Behavior Shaping Unit . . . Donald Moore, houseparent assistant, at the South Men's Hostel . . . Jack Cornelius, houseparent assistant, Fremont Men's Hostel . . . Lynna Johnson, houseparent of the Hamilton Hostel . . . and, Margaret Sova, recreation teacher assistant.

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KOWH EXTENDS
HELPFUL HAND

Don Davis, better known as the Gray Ghost in DJ circles, and Alvin Gilmore, both of radio KOWH, have offered to help ENCOR in their effort to stimulate name recognition of "ENCOR." Maybe you've heard the reverberated "EN-COR," "EN-COR." If not, you soon will.

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EXTERNS AID
SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Joe Egler and Joe Borsch, both extern psychology students from Creighton University, will be working with Supportive Service staff for the remainder of the semester.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

If someone else's faults make us angry --- count to 10. 10 of our own!!

AK-SAR-BEN
DEADLINE DUE

Anyone wishing to buy their AK-SAR-BEN memberships this year should do so by February 18th. Membership is \$12.00. For additional application blanks, contact Judie at Central Office. Do it TODAY. Call Judie and reserve your membership, NOW!

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CO-RESIDENTS
NEEDED

Residential Services are looking for people to staff co-resident apartments. Anyone having a friend and/or relative who might be interested in living with two or three of our people in an apartment should call Bill Doucette at Central Office. The staff member's job is to promote skills in health, hygiene and grooming. Room and board are provided. There are ten such apartments now in operation; we want to start four more immediately.

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CREIGHTON
STUDENTS VOLUNTEER

Eight seniors from Creighton Prep spent eight hours a day at the Benson V.S.C. as part of their senior finals. In addition, the Developmental Centers have some Creighton students as part of their extern practicum.

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N. & S. V.S.C. ARE
IN THE FUTURE

Negotiations for the two new vocational centers --- North and South --- are well underway. They should be in operation by May.

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BITS AND PIECES . . .

Don't forget to send in your \$7.00 for GOARC membership ... page 69 of the 50th Anniversary issue of Reader's Digest has a dynamic story "The Agonizing Decision of Joanne and Roger Pell" - a must ... February 14th issue of TIME - a write-up on Willowbrook in New York - also a must . . .

"Recreation Tid Bits"

SKI TRIP GREAT SUCCESS

On Jan. 14, 15 and 16, the ENCOR Recreation Department sponsored its first SKI TRIP to Hidden Valley, Colorado. The group included ten adults and five volunteers. Our people each paid \$40.00 for the trip - and rumor has it that they thought it was the best \$40.00 they ever spent.

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NEW SKI TRIP PLANNED

Because of the great success of the January trip, ENCOR is arranging another SKI TRIP to Colorado, March 17, 18 and 19. This three-day excursion will cost \$45.00 per person, everything included. Registration is limited so if you know of someone who would like to go and could benefit from this experience - call our Recreation Department early.

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Summer Recreation Programs being Planned

ENCOR's Summer Recreation activities are now in the final planning stages. Most of the details will be available at a later date; but, here are some highlights to keep in mind.

May 6	Special Olympics - Bowling
May 13	Special Olympics - local meet Norris Junior High
May 26 & 27	Special Olympics - State meet Wesleyan University, Lincoln
August 13-18	Special Olympics - International meet - U.C.L.A., Los Angeles

In addition . . .

DEVELOPMENTAL CENTERS

-Recreation and Physical Education development programs at each center.

FUN CLUB

-West Branch YMCA for school children and teens, M-W-F, 2 hours each day for 8 weeks. Starts June 19th. Arts and crafts, physical education, swimming and field trips.

PARKS & RECREATION

-activities for children and teens at local parks. Includes swimming lessons. Each person will participate with his or her own volunteer.

EVENING ACTIVITIES FOR ADULTS

-each Tuesday night, June through August. Picnics, putt-putt golf, sports events, and field trips.

CLIENT EXCHANGE

-this year with "Grand Ole Opry Country, "Nashville, Tennessee.

CAMPING

-for children and teens. Day camp and residential camps through city parks, YMCA, and other agencies, such as Nebraska Easter Seals. Dates and specifics are not yet available.

CAMPING FOR ADULTS

-weekend camping each weekend, June through August, to be supervised by ENCOR staff. Also some extended vacation camping trips of one week. No residential or day camps will be scheduled for adults.

The above programs will all emphasize the extensive use of volunteers. In many programs we plan to pair one volunteer with a participating person. Please contact the Recreation Department if you have any questions, comments, or suggestions concerning these programs.

BEHAVIOR SHAPING
AT CAPACITY

for Denise to the Fremont Developmental Center for pre-vocational training.

The Behavior Shaping Unit has reached its capacity of eight. It is hoped that there will be a matriculation

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NORTH SITE
SELECTED

opening is 1 May. Renovations needed are: additional 5000 square feet; heating and air conditioning; a lunch room; and additional bathroom and office facilities.

The site for the new North Omaha VSC has been selected. It's 1530 North 18th Street. Target date for

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BLAIR HOSTEL
IN FINAL STAGES

used to be houseparents at the Cuming Street hostel for adolescents. The final touch---carpeting---is to be completed before the opening on March 1. The women will be moving in gradually over the next couple of weeks. The Curt Reinheimers are the new houseparents at Cuming.

Steve and Wanda Johnson are to be the houseparents for ENCOR's new women's hostel in Blair. The Johnsons

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HASTINGS KIDS
TO RETURN

parents for one side of this duplex. Two children from Dodge County that are currently living at the Hastings Regional Center will be the first to move into this hostel.

The first children's hostel in Fremont will officially open on March 1st.

Marsha and Terry Dailey are the house-

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CONSULTANT
TO SUPPER

seminar on Friday, February 18.

Dr. Eric Haughton of Washington State consulted with representatives of each of ENCOR's divisions at a supper

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SARPY DC SENDS
TO SCHOOL

has started at J. P. Lord School. Congratulations to David and Nikki as well as to the Sarpy staff.

David Richards has transferred to the Fort Crook School; and Nikki Nielson

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BENEFIT FOR
D.M.U. CANCELED

regretfully, due to unforeseen circumstances and complications. Our thanks, anyway, to the hard-working committee.

The Premiere benefit of cinema musical "Fiddler on the Roof" has been canceled,

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SOUTH OMAHA
DC TO MOVE

its elegant new facilities around the first of March. It's been a long time coming. Our hats off to the Mosher Pilgrim Presbyterian Church and their congregation for undertaking this project. The only thing left to do before the Center can move is to finish off the flooring. An Open House is to be planned around the end of March.

It is hoped that the South Omaha Developmental Center will be adjusting to

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FREMONT VSC
1 YEAR OLD

The Fremont VSC has just celebrated its one year anniversary (on Febr. 17). When they opened, they had seven clients; they now have 29 with one community placement and are totally supported by contracts from the Dodge County area.

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WEST CENTER
BLOSSOMING

The newly opened (January 3) West Developmental Center will be completing its first two months of existence. Since opening, the enrollment has jumped to 20 children. Of particular interest is the fact that this Center is blazing a trail for the blind mentally retarded.

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HEARTS TO
BENSON DC

The Omaha Fire Fighter's Auxilliary provided the Benson Center with a super Valentine's Party--including a puppet show. The Benson Opti-Mrs. brought placemats and favors.

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FRS IS
ON THE MOVE

Under the deft guidance of Ed Skarnulis, the Division of Family Resource Services is beginning to take shape. The staff has already begun gathering information on the development of a comprehensive medical services program. In addition, they are investigating the possibility of establishing "store-front" or satellite offices...for easier accessibility to the families of the mentally retarded.

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OLSON LEADS
SERIES

On Thursday evening, February 17, Frank Olson bowled a 630 in the All-City three-game series. His game totals were 257, 198, and 175.

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HAILS TO

Mary Carapella, a teacher at the Benson Developmental Center.... Debra Robertson, housekeeper; John Consentino, teacher assistant; and, Ann Kopinski, teacher assistant, all at the Behavior Shaping Unit.... Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carden, houseparent assistants at the Fremont hostel... and to Sally Brant, secretary at Chance Developmental Center.

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AND, FAREWELLS TO

Jackie Allard, related instructions teacher at the Bellevue VSC who got married on February 22 and moved to Lincoln....Peggy Warren and Bobbi Davis, teachers at the Benson Developmental Center who will leave the end of February and March, respectively.

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BITS AND PIECES

Wally Fague has been promoted to teacher at the Benson Developmental Center....Maureen Molt has been promoted to assistant teacher at Benson Developmental Center....Mrs. Vallois Lewis of Chance staff is recovering at St. Joseph's hospital....Karen Christensen was delivered of a 6 pound 15 ounce baby girl, Julie Marie, on February 11--mother and daughter are doing well....Sarpy has distributed all report cards....the Harney Street hostel for women has begun sewing and good grooming classes on each Sunday evening.

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VOLUNTEER NEWS

We have a great group of volunteers helping with a Saturday morning recreation program for children and teens. These volunteers are working on a one-to-one basis in programs for physical development, arts and crafts, drama, and peanut butter and jelly making.

Twelve new volunteers have begun working at West, South and Benson Developmental Centers this past week. We're working on more placements of this kind.

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SPECIAL OLYMPICS

The goal of the Special Olympics program is to create opportunities for sports training and athletic competition for all retarded children and young adults.

Recent scientific research has shown that physical activities, sports and competitive athletics are a major means of reaching the retarded. Here is an area where he can succeed and start building a positive self-image, gaining confidence and self-mastery as well as physical development. As a child or adult improves his performance in the gymnasium and on the playing field, he also improves his performance in the classroom, at home and eventually on the job.

The Special Olympics planning committee promises the best year yet for this activity. Also included is the international meet at UCLA, Los Angeles.

You can help by encouraging eligible persons to train for and participate in the events. Included are track and field, swimming, co-ed volleyball, gymnastics, and bowling. Some training programs are already in session and others will be starting soon. For more information please contact Sue Elliott, Area Coordinator, at 558-1115.

Also come out and cheer on the ENCOR Team!

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SEVEN REPRIMANDS
by Gibran

I reprimanded my soul seven times.
The first time: When I attempted to exalt
myself by exploiting the weak.
The second time: when I feigned a limp
before those who were crippled.
The third time: when, given a choice, I
elected the easy rather than the difficult.
The fourth time: when I made a mistake I
consoled myself with the mistakes of others.
The fifth time: when I was docile because of
fear and then claimed to be strong in patience.
The sixth time: when I held my garments upraised to
avoid the mud of life.
The seventh time: when I stood in hymnal to God and
considered the singing a virtue.

4.

FREMONT VSC IS ON THE INCREASE

Frank Masloski III and his sister Florence have returned from the Beatrice State Home to the Fremont area where they are both receiving vocational training at the Fremont Vocational Services Center. Frank is living at the Fremont hostel and his sister is living at the Blair hostel. In addition, Barbara Schmidt, Ruby Jaber, and Bruce Lockwood also enrolled in the Fremont Vocational Services Center.

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ENCOR STAFF BRIEFS 4-H LEADERS

Doug Hansen, Deb McCollister, and Ann Marie Aita recently were invited by Dodge County 4-H leaders and junior leaders to a meeting to talk about ENCOR and Mental Retardation. The 4-H members range in age from 5 years to 18 years and clubs are located in small communities throughout the county. Membership involvement for retarded young people will allow them to participate in activities near home.

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VOLUNTEERS HOST PARTIES

A group of young people from the 8th grade class at the St. Robert Bellarmine School gave a swimming party recently for a group of ENCOR youngsters their own age. Seventh graders from the same school invited the group to a picnic in Elmwood Park last Sunday. The same group had parties about 3 weeks ago and hopes to continue such activities throughout the summer.

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MARY INTRODUCED TO PARENTS

At a coffee, hosted by Bobbi Davis, Mary Carapello was introduced to the parents of the children in her room. Mary has been working with Bobbi and gradually assuming the duties of teacher in their classroom at the Benson Developmental Center.

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Our heartfelt condolences to Theresa Robinson, housemother for our South Omaha hostel, on the recent loss of her mother.

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SOUTH OMAHA CENTER FINALLY SETTLED

South Omaha Developmental Center moved into their new classrooms on Monday, March 13th. Formal dedication and Open House is scheduled for Palm Sunday, March 26th. At 3:00 p.m. on the 26th there will be a service of celebration and dedication in the sanctuary of the Mosher Pillgrim United Presbyterian Church followed by the ENCOR Open House at 4:00 p.m. in the Developmental Center. Refreshments of coffee, punch, cookies, and small sandwiches will be provided by parents of the ENCOR children served by that facility. Won't you come and help us share the pride of Pastor Byall and his parish in the completion of this monumental undertaking on March 26th?

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BELLEVUE VSC GROSSES \$1,746.53

The short month of February produced a lot of curlers at the Bellevue VSC. The combination of pink, yellow and green curlers amounted to over 850,000. In addition, nearly 12,000 terminal boards were shipped to Hayes Corporation; 340 cases of bird seed travelled to Geisler and over 84,000 bolts helped to brighten the faces of TNM Manufacturing Company. The hard work of our people at the Bellevue VSC brought the shop a total of \$1,746.53 during the month of February.

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TWO GRADUATED FROM BEHAVIOR SHAPING UNIT

Joan Echtenkamp, formerly of the Behavior Shaping Unit, is now receiving vocational training at the Benson Vocational Services Center. In addition, David Swancutt is now receiving developmental training at the Benson Developmental Center (Editorial note: that's a 25% turnover in 4 months - our hats off to the Behavior Shaping Unit staff).

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BITS AND PIECES

Kathy Zents became Mrs. Dan Northam on March 10th; Kathy will continue to be lead teacher in a primary classroom at the West Developmental Center . . . Jane Lonnquist and Linda Flatter were last seen having dinner at the Behavior Shaping Unit . . . A fire detection system was installed at the Benson Developmental Center in order for them to obtain this year's license . . . Benson Developmental Center's school photographer will be taking pictures of children in this Center on Tuesday, March 30th . . . Fremont Children's Hostel has two new brothers - Danny and Jimmy Ethofer . . . Sarpy Developmental Center has a new student - 3 year old Sami Dilla . . . A student architect is designing a playground for the Sarpy Developmental Center . . . Bohumil Bohaboj is working in a shoe factory in Waterloo while he lives at the Fremont Men's hostel . . . the team of Karen Faison and Dr. Trembath isolated the source of the strep throat outbreak at the Benson Developmental Center . . . Mrs. Flowers is having a medicine cabinet installed in her office in the ENCOR Central Office building which will be stocked with medical supplies to meet the needs of Central Office staff . . . a very hardy welcome back to Tic Patterson who has returned fulltime to ENCOR after a lengthy recovery . . . and a belated cheers to Roger and Susan Harms who were married on December 30th . . . the Blair Women's Club is now meeting at the Blair Women's hostel.

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PILOT PARENTS GRADUATE

Pilot Parents, a dynamic undertaking of the Greater Omaha Association for Retarded Children had their "graduation" banquet Monday, March 6th. ENCOR's Shirley Dean, as their advisor, was presented with a beautiful ceramic vase. Pilot Parents have mobilized to aid parents with newly diagnosed mentally retarded children.

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FGS SEES CHANGE

Family Guidance Services has been re-aligned into two separate systems: Adult Services coordinated by Shirley Dean; and, Children's Services, coordinated by Jane Lonnquist. Crisis Assistance and Developmental Homes will be under Children's Services.

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THANKS TO . . .

Sue Babendure, Joseph Borsh and Joseph Agler, who have assisted Mrs. Flowers at the Benson Vocational Services Center and the Christ Child Center on numerous occasions.

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RECREATION PHLASH!

Henceforth we will be known as the Developmental Recreation and Leisure Time Activities Department of Family Resource Services. This is in keeping with our belief that recreation for retarded citizens must be more than just fun and games. Rather, recreation activities should be goal orientated toward developing physical fitness, personal living skills, and, perhaps most important, socialization skills.

In addition, the fulltime Recreation staff will no longer have titles such as Recreation Technician or Program Planning Specialist for Physical Development. Rather, the staff will be referred to as Community Consultants for Developmental Recreation and Leisure Time Activities. Of course, it would be irrational to make a change such as this without good reason. If you are not interested in knowing why may we suggest that you stop reading this article and move on to the next. However, if your appetite has been whetted sufficiently then read on; because, frankly, we find it exciting and challenging and a real opportunity to provide in depth meaning to the work represented by the center initial in ENCOR. (Got the word?)

In the past almost all programs sponsored by the Recreation Department were completely planned, organized, and supervised by the ENCOR Recreation staff. These are now referred to as direct service programs and, for the most part, they are in the process of being phased out. The new approach is referred to as indirect services. This approach involves the identifying and contacting of generic agencies which can provide recreation services for retarded citizens. The real problem is that many of these agencies do not yet know that they can provide these services nor where the people are that they could be serving. That's our job - convince them that they can do it and in some cases show them how it might be done. Some of the types of agencies which might be involved are YM and YWCA's, community centers, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Boy's Clubs, churches, City Parks, youth groups, bowling alleys, schools, camps, 4-H, ski resorts, Planned Parenthood, and English riding academies. The community is where the action is. This is where normalization takes place. We feel we can make a vast improvement in the public attitude toward retarded citizens if we are successful in our efforts. We need your commitment to back us in any way that you can. It could make a crucial difference.

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HAILS TO . . .

Mytrice Schuster, assistant housemother; Harriet Thoren, Lana Strait, and Martha Utech, college counselors all of the Blair Women's hostel . . . Judie Reed has joined the teaching staff of the Bellevue VSC . . . Carol Koland has joined the staff of the Fremont VSC . . . Rose Costillo, aide; and Mercedes Christenson, cook are both with the Fremont Developmental Center.

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4.

RECREATION NEWS
DO YOU LIKE TO GO CAMPING?

Here is an opportunity to refresh the spirit and enjoy fellowship in the great outdoors. Join the mentally retarded adults of our community in weekend and in some cases, weeklong camping trips to state parks, state recreation areas, and national parks. The ENCOR Department of Developmental Recreation has scheduled a wide variety of camping trips for adults (16 and over) to take place May through October. The organization of the trips will be most informal; i.e., no staffed residential camping. Transportation will be by private auto and the groups will be small - 15 or less. We would like to identify a number of ENCOR staff persons and volunteers who would be interested in participating in these trips in a peer guidance relationship with the clients.

To help insure the success of this program we have scheduled a special weekend camping trip just for staff and volunteers. The purpose of this weekend will be threefold: 1. training in camping techniques; 2. discussion of peer guidance relationships; and 3. have a good time. This trip will be June 3rd and 4th at the Waubonsie State Recreation area in Iowa just across the river from Nebraska City. We hope you can attend. No expertise in camping is needed but your support is! Please contact Jim Johnson or Bill Hinze at the central office for reservations and further information.

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FREMONT VSC
PLACES SEVEN

The Fremont VSC is very proud of the fact that they've placed seven new people into employment. Six of these people are with TRATOFFLER, Inc., in Waterloo and the seventh is a young gal who has begun training at Green's Green House in Fremont.

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SUMMARY OF NEBARC STATE CONVENTION

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Dr. Richard Meile, President, Lincoln
Richard Klein, 1st Vice-President, McCook
Dr. Ivan Nickolsen, 2nd Vice-President, Holdrege
Marilyn Sinner, Secretary, Columbus
George Barker, Treasurer, Omaha

Additional summary information found in insert.



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LIVER LIPS
TO VISIT CHANCE

Liver Lips, a banjo-playing bear from Walt Disney's Big Bear Country in both Disneyworld and Disneyland is scheduled to pay a visit to the ENCOR Chance Developmental Center in the morning of Tuesday, April 4.

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CAU TO EXPAND
IN FUTURE

Marsha Honrath, Developmental Home Representative and Jane Lonnquist, Coordinator of Child Guidance Services announce that they are attempting to establish private homes for the overflow at the Crisis Assistance Unit (CAU) as well as for the non ambulatory individuals needing CAU services.

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SOUTH OMAHA DC
HAS OVERFLOW

More than 200 people came to the new facilities of the ENCOR South Omaha DC to participate in the service of celebration and dedication and to the OPEN HOUSE which followed. The crowd was so large that a closed circuit TV was used so everyone could participate. The ENCOR parents baked superb goodies and made delightful sandwiches. The crowd was so large that people, unable to find a parking place, went home.

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HAILS TO...

Mark Wespelan and Penny Brown, trainers at the Benson VSC...Sharon Haag, teacher at Fremont DC...Mary Jacobson, cook at the Sarpy DC...and, to Kathy Christoffersen, secretary in the Mag-card department of Central Office.

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BITS AND PIECES...

Chance's Shirley Oliver has a new baby girl and Sue Bradley a new baby boy...Bob Bottger (of Central Office) and his wife have a new baby girl as of March 11...Mary and Jeff Croft at the CAU are anxiously awaiting their addition in September...Annie Tamisiea is back at the Children's Hostel after her hospital stay with bronchitis...and, Tom Madison, staff member at Burt Street Hostel, is just back from a SCEC Convention in Washington, D.C.

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BULLETIN BOARD...

A 4-door, tan, 1967 Chevy sedan with 27,000 miles, in excellent condition---\$995.00. Contact Dick Lewis at Central. (If you have something you want to sell, or swap, send your notice to the Editor at Central Office).

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FREMONT VSC HAS NEW HIGH

With addition of Myrna Fulrodt, the Fremont VSC has 35 trainees. Myrna was previously residing in Beatrice; she is now living at the Blair Women's Hostel. Myrna is from Dodge County.

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SHOE FACTORY EMPLOYS RETARDED

The Fremont VSC has been working with TRATOFFLOR, Inc., of Waterloo to develop employment for our retarded. As of right now, we have six people under the ENCOR supervision of Tom Childress training there. As of April 1st, Tom will return to the Fremont VSC as a trainer. Our people are working such complicated (and hazardous) pieces of equipment as sanders, lathes, and band saws in the manufacturing of wooden shoes. Because of logistical problems, it remains to be seen whether this will be an employment area or a WSI.

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SOUTH VSC NEGOTIATING

Jim Loday, the Director of the planned South Omaha VSC states that he is now negotiating on a building on South 24th street between O and P streets.

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EGG HUNT AT WEST DC

Weather permitting, the children at the West DC had an Easter Egg Hunt on Thursday, March 30 at 2:00 p.m. The children colored and decorated them - the staff hid them outside. Hopefully the play area will be fenced in at the time of the hunt.

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TWO MEN MOVE TO APARTMENTS

Chuch Traster and Jack Conrad have moved from the Burt Street Hostel to their own apartment nearby. John Davidson and Paul Whitehead have moved into Burt to fill the vacancies.

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BSU GRADUATES ANOTHER

The Behavior Shaping Unit has placed Denise Atwell in Blair Women's Hostel as of March 21. Soor she will begin working at the Fremont VSC.

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SOUTH MEN'S HOSTEL CLOSES

The South Omaha Men's Hostel officially closed March 24th. Teresa Robinson, our housemother, is taking a much needed vacation. All the men have been placed in the community.

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BARB DAVIS FLIES UNITED

March 24 marked the last day for mag-card operator Barb Davis. Barb's bubbly and witty personality always lightened everyone's day. She is off on a two week vacation to visit her sister in London. When she returns she'll enter United Air Lines Stewardess School in Chicago. Good luck, Barb!

NARC President says "Litigation is Now our Thing"

At the closing session of the NARC North Central Regional Conference Mr. Robert L. Jensen, President, NARC spoke on the role of the NARC in the area of Legislation and Litigation at the national and local areas. In the legislative area, Mr. Jensen said "We need more legislative activity and we must demand more help from Washington; that's where our future lies."

He indicated that the Labor and HEW Depts. are listening and he reviewed various legislation that evolved out of the 92nd Congress.

In the area of Litigation, Mr. Jensen reviewed various cases across the country and the results of each.

He asked of the school psychologists, school boards, institutions and institution directors, "Are you listening to the results of these litigations?" He indicated, that the courts are listening and that the ground swell of litigation will have a lasting effect and will not fade away.

Mr. Jensen concluded his speech with the following: "The voice for our retarded is becoming increasingly louder. What is causing this... The answer is no stranger here in Omaha, because its grandfather, Wolf Wolfensberger developed it here...it's advocacy of course, we are being citizen advocates. Let's keep this momentum going."

He said, we must concentrate on listening together - each unit member - each local unit, each state unit and the National unit. If we listen together, respond together, work together, we will maximize our opportunity to advance the cause for all retarded people.

RESOLUTION

Whereas NARC has developed their Policy Statements on Residential Care and subsequent statements on residential care;

Whereas the President's Committee on Mental Retardation has produced an excellent statement entitled, Residential Services for the Mentally Retarded: An Action Policy and subsequent statements on residential care;

Whereas the International League of Societies for the Mentally Handicapped have produced a declaration which has now been adopted by the United Nations General Assembly and titled, Declaration on the Rights of Mentally Retarded Persons;

Whereas other states have demonstrated the ability to effect change in the establishment of the rights of mentally retarded individuals to education (The recent Pennsylvania Case) and the rights to treatment (The recent Alabama Case);

Now, feeling it is consistent with the guiding spirit and the essence of the above policies and legal actions;

Be it resolved that A Committee on the Human and Legal Rights of the Mentally Retarded be appointed by the NebARC President within ten days of the termination of this annual meeting. The committee will consist of seven persons who have demonstrated a deep interest in the human and civil rights of persons who are mentally retarded. -

This committee is charged with the responsibility of investigating all facilities in the state where mentally retarded live with the exception of natural or adoptive homes and determining when and to what degree the resident's human rights and civil rights are being violated. The Committee is further charged to make monthly reports to the NebARC Board and to recommend appropriate legislative and legal action.

4.

COMP EMPLOYMENT
REALIZED BY GIRLS

Kathy Vacek and Dorothy Brown are now working as room maids as the Holiday Inn; Kathy is full-time, and Dorothy is part-time. In addition, Karen Van Ampting has started her part-time job as a waitress and buss girl at McDonalds. All of these gals live at the Harney Street Hostel.

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FREMONT PLACED
ON JOB

Frank Masloski, recently returned to the Fremont VSC and the hostel from the Beatrice State Home has been placed as a maintenance man at the First Congregational Church in Fremont.

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FOOTBALL FANS
TO GATHER

After the fall Regional AAMD Conference, participants and their families can go to the Kansas-Nebraska football game to be held on October 21 in Lawrence, Kansas. Arrangements have been made by Travel & Transport to leave Omaha at 7:30 a.m. via motor coach; the group will return at 10:00 p.m. The cost of \$29.50 per person will cover lunch aboard the motor coach, and of course, your game ticket. Reservations are made when your check is sent to:

(clip)

Send to: Linda Glenn
116 South 42nd Street
Omaha, Nebraska 68131

Please make _____ reservations for the Kansas-Nebraska football game on October 21. My check in the amount of _____ is enclosed.

Name

Phone

Address

RESERVATIONAL MUST BE IN BY APRIL 20!!

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BLAIR HOSTEL
OPEN HOUSE

On Sunday, April 16, from 2-5 p.m., ENCOR's new Blair Hostel for women will hold its OPEN HOUSE. The festivities are open to the public; and staff is encouraged to come. The six girls living there have had fun planning and cooking for the event. This hostel has had a very warm welcome from the community: the Women's Club meets there weekly; and, there was a housewarming given for the girls.

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FAMILY CLASSES
HELD AT B.S.U.

Evening orientation classes for parents and siblings will commence on Wednesday, May 3 for families with children at the Behavior Shaping Unit.

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ANNIE SAYS
"MAMA" -- 1st WORD

Nine year old Annie Tamisiea has said "mama," her first word. Annie has lived at the Hamilton Hostel for the last two years and has been working with a speech therapist all that time. The last time there was a tour at the Hamilton Hostel, Annie even went to the bathroom herself. Annie has come a long way.

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2.

GLENN TO TESTIFY
AT WILLOWBROOK

Our own Linda Glenn leaves Thursday for New York City where she has been requested to testify as an "expert witness" by the American Civil Liberties Union. Linda will spend Friday and Saturday visiting NYC facilities for the mentally retarded and "talking with people." On Sunday, Linda will tour Willowbrook with Dr. Robert Kugel and Dr. Phillip Roos. Monday, she will testify as to the adequacy of available programs. Linda has previously testified at the Alabama trials where the state was found at fault. This is but one more step towards the assurance of civil rights for all people.

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BITS AND PIECES

Benson VSC is expecting 5 new clients soon...Jim Loday is still negotiating for a VSC in South Omaha...Behavior Shaping will get a new boy, David Nugent on April 17...Eight of the youngsters at the Fremont DC went to the Shrine Circus on the 10th...Linda Flatter has just returned from Puerto Rico where she and Francie Shrier visited relatives in Ponce and San Juan...Brian Lensink and Judie Rasco will appear on Lyle DeMoss' show on KLNG, Tuesday, April 18 at 11:00 a.m. - noon...Vallois Lewis and Bea McKinley, kitchen aides at Chance are back after annoying illnesses...LIVER LIPS, the banjo playing bear from Disneyland's Big Bear Country entranced the Chance kids and staff-- When last seen, Liver Lips was trailing a sizeable group of waving kids... Eddy Cates went kite flying with Mary Carapella and her husband recently... Jerry Knoell is a new trainee at the Fremont VSC---Jerry is from Fremont.

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STEPHEN BAILEY
REACHES 100%

Stephen Bailey, of the Benson VSC reached 100% production mark on March 15. This gives Steve the honor of being one of three members of Benson's Century Club, created for recognition of those who reach 100% of industrial standards.

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VSC's REMODEL

Both the Benson and the Bellevue VSC's have remodeled their facilities extensively to make maximum usage of their available space.

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3.

NebARC COMM.
ON HUMAN RIGHTS

At the recent NebARC annual convention a mandate was issued to establish a seven member statewide Human and Legal Rights Committee, under the auspices of the NebARC. The Chairman of this Committee is Linda Glenn. Other people serving will be: Robert Perske, Executive Director of GOARC; John Foley, Executive Director of NebARC; Michael McMunty, Methodist minister from Kearney; Gerald Moser, President Adams-Clay County ARC in Hastings; Rudolph Borck, Vice-President of the Dodge County ARC in Fremont; and, Tom Burns, Vice-President Norfolk area ARC.

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FREMONT VSC
COMP. PLACEMENTS

Darryl Strickle and Leroy Clayton are now competitively employed at the Tratoffler, Inc. Wooden Shoe factory in Waterloo.

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COMMUNITY SUPPORTS
FREMONT VSC

The American Legion Auxilliary, Unit #18, recently presented a \$30.00 donation to the Fremont VSC. And, the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie No. 200, presented them with \$75.87.

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N.O.V.S.C. HIRES
FIRST STAFF

In preparation for the May 1 opening, Virgil Chandler, Workshop Director has hired Mrs. Esther Kellogg, Secretary, Mrs. Joleene Duff, Program Evaluator; Raymond Willis, Trainer; and Mrs. Emma Jean Jones and Erving Scales as assistant trainers.

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SARPY TO
GO ORGANIC

The older children at the Sarpy DC will be starting a vegetable garden soon. They will be planting peas, green beans, cucumbers, carrots, and some flowers. As the vegetables ripen, the children will learn how to prepare them to be eaten.

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For the last few months the Recreation Department has been working with the Special Olympics Steering Committee in organizing the 1972 Local Special Olympics meet.

Thus far Bellevue High, North Bend High, Plattsmouth, Chap, Madonna, Gretna, Omaha Public Schools, District 66 and ENCOR have participants registered for the meet.

This year we have been very fortunate to have GOARC and the J.C.'s co-sponsor this meet.

Come out and cheer on the ENCOR Team!

May 6	Special Olympics Bowling Leisure Lanes 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
May 13	Special Olympics Local Meet Norris Jr. High 9:00 a.m.
May 26 & 27	Special Olympics State Meet Wesleyan University - Lincoln

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As of 15, March, we are still not serving the following Beatrice State Home residents from:

Cass County	-	14
Dodge County	-	98
Douglas County	-	296
Sarpy County	-	15
Washington County	-	14

But we are serving in some way, nearly 1000 children and adults on a daily basis in our 5 county area.

MICHAEL SIMS
GETS SCHOLARSHIP

Sally Sims, teacher aide at Benson DC attended a luncheon on April 10 in honor of her son, Michael, who is

1 out of 3 High School Seniors to receive a National Merit Scholarship.
Good work, Mike.

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OUTDOOR CLASSROOM
SLATED FOR SARPY

is slated to start around August and be completed six weeks later. The classroom will include a swim pool for gross motor development; flooring, rugs, walls, for tactile sensory development; sand and garden for fine motor skills; garden and wall for nature training area; balcony and destroyed stair steps for spatial orientation; and regular stairs for general coordination.

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CONSUMER NEWS

Elaine Marcus has enrolled in the Behavior Shaping Unit; Elaine went to the Benson DC...Paul Adams has moved into the Burt Street Hostel; Paul works at the Benson VSC...Ed Garfield started at the Fremont VSC this week; Ed lives at the McBride Nursing Home...Ronnie Schultz has started working at Lozier's WSI...John Smith is a new trainee at the Benson VSC...5 year old Mark Bostwick is now enrolled at South Omaha DC...Kimberly Lucas, from Beatrice has moved into the Children's Hostel in Fremont; Kim also goes to the Fremont DC...and, 5 year old Ronald Dennis Knefelkamp of Plattsmouth has recently started at the Sarpy DC.

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"SAMMY" GOES
TO BOSTON

Dennis Adams and Fred Donaldson of Chance DC took "What Makes Sammy Run" to Wheelock College and Yeshiva University in Boston to explain the work of ENCOR.

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BLAIR "JOKERS" HAVE
BLUE RIBBON TEAM

Starting Thursday, Mrs. Johnson Harriet Thorsen, Lana Strait, Monette Beuck, and Pat Miller have started their Thursday evening bowling team called the "Jokers" at Leisure Lanes. They'll be competing for cash or trophy or both.

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BOB GETS A
SURPRISE RECORD

Bob Agee had a surprise birthday party last week at Sambo's where he is employed. Bob received a phonograph record from fellow employees.

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Architect Larry Grams of Lincoln has developed a model of an outdoor classroom for the Sarpy DC. Construction

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ANDY ANDERSON
EMPLOYER OF YEAR

L. C. Anderson, better known as "Andy" of Tratofflor, Inc. of Waterloo was named Employer of the Year by GOARC at the May 4 annual meeting. Andy has worked with the Fremont VSC towards competitive employment of the retarded. Five out of eight employees are from VSC; three men and two women.

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TWO DEVELOPMENTAL
HOME PLACEMENTS

Darin Sheppard who spent 4 of his 6 years at the Beatrice State Home has been happily placed with Mr. & Mrs. Erland Andersen. Darin will continue his studies at the West DC. And, Richard Graham, 4 years old, has also been placed with Mr. & Mrs. Wilford Card. Richard will still attend the Sarpy DC.

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SPECIAL OLYMPICS
BOWLING WINNERS

Pat Miller and Monette Beuck, both of the Blair Women's Hostel took first and second place in the Special Olympics Bowling competition held on Saturday, May 6 at Leisure Lanes in Omaha. For additional winners see insert.

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ENCOR ORIENTATION
SET BY FRS

FRS is planning a general ENCOR orientation beginning June 5th through June 9th. This will be open to all ENCOR staff members who started work since January. For details, contact Linda Flatter.

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2.

SOUTH OMAHA VSC
STYMIED

Jim Loday says he can't move into his building yet---it will be 6-12 weeks before he can open the door.

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BSU RECEIVES
\$400.00 DONATION

A new swing set and video tapes will be purchased with a \$400.00 donation recently received from the West Omaha

Cosmopolitan Club.

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There are among the people murderers who have never committed murder, thieves who have never stolen and liars who have spoken nothing but the truth.

BULLETIN BOARD

12 week old registered german shephard female puppy - \$60.00 - partially trained. Call Sheila Frank, Central accounting.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING WINNERS

<u>Boys, 8-9 yrs.</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Place</u>
Bill Lauy	Madonna	254	1
Kent Meisinger	Chap	96	2
<u>Girls, 10-12 yrs.</u>			
Liz Harrison	Chap	207	1
Mary Armstrong	Chap	136	2
<u>Boys, 10-12 yrs.</u>			
Jim Wemmer	Madonna	232	1
Doug Ferraguti	Madonna	180	2
Larry Kramer	Madonna	179	3
Bill Henrickson	Chap	153	4

Continued on insert...

3.

HAILS TO...

Virginia Carter, teacher at South Omaha DC...Elaine Freeze, who starting on May 15 will be the cook at the South Omaha DC...Jim and Charlotte Carter, new assistant houseparents at Cumings Hostel...Clayton Kennedy, counselor and Kathy Gromko and Norman Dittman counselor aides in Children's Guidance Services as of May 16th.

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FAREWELL TO...

Mary Nehe who has taken a leave of absense from the South Omaha DC.

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FRS COUNSELORS
EXPAND LOAD

Each counselor from Children's Guidance has a caseload of five clients from the Beatrice State Home. The objective is to find a community placement for these children. Ed Skarnulis has agreed to buy a steak dinner for the first counselor to place one of their Beatrice clients.

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FLATTER PROMOTED
TO COUNSELOR II

Linda Flatter has been promoted to a Counselor II level. She will be supervising the new counselor aides and will be the counselor for the Behavior Shaping Unit and Children's Hostel. She will also continue to work with community children not enrolled in community programs.

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ENCOR's SOFTBALL
TEAM A WINNER

On the 8th of May the ENCOR softball team got their first sweet taste of victory. Our team systematically over-ran the Aetna-Life Insurance Company team 24-7. The winning pitcher was Jim Byrnes in his first start. It was a genuine slug-fest with all ENCOR hitters, even Bill Hinze, successfully hitting at least twice. Kurt Rheinheimer hit 2 home runs; Bob Bottger, Lee Anderson, and Skip Katzman each added one four-bagger. After a slow start, our team is really developing Be at the next game, Monday, May 15th, Columbus Park, 24th and Woolworth, 6:15 p.m. It's fun!

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Boys, 13-15 yrs.

Div. I	Jeff Vaugh	66	338	1
	Ron Gow	66	290	2
Div. II	Bob Beekman	ENCOR	328	1
	Dennis O'Connell	ENCOR	306	2
	Duane Stokes	Chap	260	3
	Dave Jacoby	ENCOR	212	4
Div. III	Steve Beem	66	309	1
	Tim Jereske	Madonna	268	2
	Steve Ferraguti	Madonna	222	3
	Mark Schomar	Ralston	200	4

Girls, 13-15 yrs.

Div. I	Cindy Kelly	66	337	1
	Marla Feldman	66	301	2
Div. II	Sharon White	66	202	1
Div. III	Barb Parsons	66	210	1
	Julie Vok	66	155	2
	Julie Schermerhorn	66	147	3
	Debbie Daup	Ralston	134	4

Girls, 16-18 yrs.

Div. I	Cindy Pignoth	66	300	1
	Ellen Gottlieb	66	292	2
Div. II	Nancy O'Neal	Bellevue	260	1
	Michele Hanson	66	190	2
	Ann Coordes	OPS	189	3

Boys, 16-18 yrs.

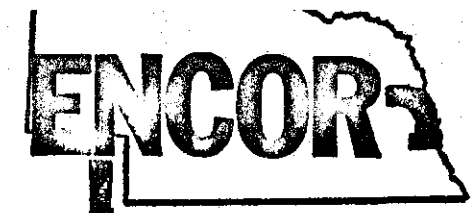
Div. I	Scott Edgren	Bellevue	409	1
	Dave Shipro	66	401	2
	Scott Hiatt	66	376	3
Div. II	Martin Mahoney	66	483	1
	Randy Schultz	ENCOR	367	2
	Gary Cratty	OPS	354	3
Div. III	Ken Bogatz	Madonna	325	1
	Martin Klotz	66	315	2
	Mark Southwick	Bellevue	297	3
	Milt Munson	66	199	4

Women, 19 and over

Div. I	Marilyn Stander	Bellevue	376	1
	Maria Luvane	Bellevue	262	2
Div. II	Pat Miller	Blair	239	1
	Monnette Beuck	Blair	229	2
	Mary Ann Hubenka	Bellevue	229	2
	Nancy Hammons	Bellevue	222	3
	Rose Terry	Fremont	215	4
	Kathy Vaskamp	Fremont	207	5
	Corrine Reeh	Fremont	191	6
	Kathy Sherman	Fremont	167	7
	Marilyn Bruner	Fremont	145	8
	Florence Masloski	Fremont	92	9

Men, 19 and over

Div. I	Eldon Folden	Omaha	426	1
	Larry Gonzales	Bellevue	416	2
	Terry Ray	Omaha	346	3
Div. II	Jack Conrad	Omaha	394	1
	John Brady	Omaha	357	2
	Dennis Purricello	Omaha	351	3
	Daryl Stricklett	Fremont	308	4
	John Purnell	Omaha	296	5
	Terry Barker	Omaha	256	6
Div. III	Butch Blum	Omaha	250	1
	Andy Fatuch	Bellevue	245	2
	Pat Fennell	Omaha	235	1
	Dan Luellman	Bellevue	175	2
	Gary Olson	Omaha	151	3
	John Hogan	Omaha	139	4
Div. IV	Terry DeLuryea	Omaha	303	1
	John Davis	Omaha	208	3
	John Marr	Fremont	206	4
	Bruce Lockwood	Fremont	93	5



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HAILS . . .

To Jane Mainelli, administrative secretary at the Central Office; Sarah Otis a teacher aide at the West Developmental Center; Flora Andersen, a Developmental Program Supervisor in Developmental Homes; Ruth Stephenson, a substitute teacher at the Sarpy Developmental Center; John Aase, assistant teacher at Benson Vocational Services Center; and Sue Filipizak, new Community Consultant in Developmental Recreation who will work in the Sarpy-Cass County area.

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FAREWELLS. . .

To Gene Kopecky in Recreation; Connie Stevens, teacher aide at the Sarpy Developmental Center; Iris Simonin who is leaving Sarpy DC to enter nursing school; Mel Cohen, co-resident apartment supervisor who will be leaving for France to work on his Master's thesis; to Carol Mayor, co-resident apartment supervisor who has gone to Alaska to work for the summer; and to Rita Hotchkins, who after many months of services has given up her co-resident apartment to new supervisor Lori D'Audney.

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BITS & PIECES

Beginning in June, the boys at the Cuming Street Hostel will be bowling every Wednesday on a summer league for teenagers at the Rose Bowl; Sally Sims and Wally Butler have been promoted from teacher aides to teacher assistants at the Benson Developmental Center; Sylvia Warren, housemother at the Chicago Hostel has been vacationing in the Baltimore, Washington DC and New York areas; Danny Cattlett of the Fremont Hostel is now employed at the Steak-O-Rama in Fremont; new students in ENCOR Developmental Centers include at South DC, Kristine Makara and Mark Bostivick; at Benson DC, Danny Rasmussen, Mike Nichols, and Julie Gorum; Mike Jordan and Jeff Barber went down last Sunday and ran with Joe Frazier at Carter Lake.

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BULLETIN BOARD
FOR SALE: 1966 Chevrolet Convertable
Call 342-3369

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ENCOR REC. DEPT.
WINS AAMD AWARD

The ENCOR Department of Developmental Recreation was recently honored with the Outstanding Achievement Award in Recreation at the 96th Annual Meeting of the American Association on Mental Deficiency (AAMD). The presentation was made at the Recreation Sub-Division meeting on May 17th in Minneapolis. The award was given for ENCOR's positive, progressive approach to the integration of mentally retarded citizens into normal community recreation programs.

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RECEIVES VOLUNTEER
OF THE YEAR AWARD

Sally Welton has been awarded the United Community Services Student Volunteer of the Year Award. Miss Welton received the award at a May 24 luncheon for 600 hours of volunteer work completed at our Sarpy Developmental Center. These hours were completed between July, 1971 and March, 1972.

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ENCOR DRIVER
HOSTS PARTY

Travis Lyles, who transports fourteen children to and from school daily for ENCOR's Transportation Services, hosted a party in his home on Saturday, May 20. Guests were seven of the older children in his school load. The children enjoyed Mr. Lyles' pool table, played a baseball game, and also played basketball and checkers. The children then feasted at a picnic lunch on cold cuts, cookies, watermelon, and two cases of pop.

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2.

"SPARE-TIME MAMAS"
STRIKE AGAIN & AGAIN

ENCOR's Residential Division now has its very own weekly bowling team, the "Spare-Time Mamas." The team, which is sponsored by the Pant Pit consists of Becky Fritz, housemother, Hamilton Hostel, Melanie Rheinheimer, housemother, Cuming Hostel, Margaret Buswell, housemother, Burt Hostel and Charlotte Carter, assistant housemother, Cuming Hostel.

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NORTH OMAHA VSC
SHAPING UP

Work has begun on renovation and equipping the new North Omaha Workshop located at 1531 North 18th. News of the official opening date and Grand Opening ceremonies will follow.

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STAFF CAMPOUT

Here is an opportunity to refresh the spirit and enjoy fellowship in the great outdoors. Join the mentally retarded adults of our community in weekend and in some cases, weeklong camping trips to state parks, state recreation areas, and national parks. The ENCOR Department of Developmental Recreation has scheduled a wide variety of camping trips for adults (16 and over) to take place May through October. The organization of the trips will be by private auto and the groups will be small - 15 or less. We would like to identify a number of ENCOR staff persons and volunteers who would be interest in participating in these trips in a peer guidance relationship with the clients.

To help insure the success of this program we have scheduled a special weekend camping trip just for staff and volunteers. The purpose of this weekend will be threefold: 1. training in camping techniques; 2. discussion of peer guidance relationships; and 3. have a good time. This trip will be June 3rd and 4th at the Waubonsie State Recreation area in Iowa just across the river from Nebraska City. We hope you can attend. No expertise in camping is needed but your support is! Please contact Jim Johnson or Bill Hinze at the central office for reservations and further information. Please call May 31st or June 1st. 558-1115.

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EDITORIAL

5. Hello Charlie. Are you sad because of society's definition of you and people like you? Does it make you unhappy because people know what you are before they even know who you are? Don't be upset Charlie, it's probably the way things will be for a long long time so your concern only aggravates the problem.

Why, you ask me Charlie? I don't know that answer. My guess would have to be that they are afraid of you. You see Charlie, you are different from us in many ways. You look different and you act very different. Your looks don't really scare people Charlie, but they present the cue that puts people on notice that you are what you are. And in our society Charlie, you are not supposed to be what you are. But you haven't learned this. That scares people Charlie. You stop people on the street and say hello for no reason. You often smile, or even laugh for no apparent reason. That's spooky Charlie.

You see, to be one of us you must not do these things. You must not laugh unless the reason you are laughing is apparent to everyone. You certainly shouldn't say hello to strangers. Charlie, you often do things that are right, but you do them at the wrong time. We guess that you do this because you are not intelligent enough to know that right is not right at all times. If you were like us Charlie, you would be smart and know that honesty is not always right.

You're not smart like us Charlie but we can teach you, or should you be teaching us?

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ENCOR DEV. STUDENTS
PROGRESS. . . .

Charles Medley of Sarpy Dev. Center has graduated to a Head Start Program in Plattsmouth. Karen Haldren, also of Sarpy D.C. is enrolled in Montclair Elementary School in Bellevue. Fremont Dev. Center student Kimberly Lucas has started at the Opportunity Center and Shawn Borch has started kindergarden in the Fremont Public Schools.

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BULLETIN BOARD

For Sale: Male Siamese (Seal Point)
6 weeks old -- \$10.00
contact Melanie Rheinheimer
Cuming Hostel - 551-5091

4.

MUSIC FESTIVAL TO BENEFIT SARPY

On Saturday, June 24, there will be a Music Festival in Bellevue at 7:00 p.m. The location is 20th & Franklin Streets in Bellevue (across the street from the Sarpy Center). At 9:30 there will be a drawing for a home stereo unit donated by a local department store. For \$1.00 you can buy a chance on the stereo. Tickets can be obtained from Don Holdron, 291-3769. Don and his committee have already collected \$2,000 towards the "Outdoor Classroom" \$1,000 of which was from the World Herald Goodfellows.

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FREMONT TRAINEE HIRED FULL TIME

Bohumil Bohaboy is one more of the Fremont VSC trainees to be hired full time by Tratofflor, Inc. as of June 15. Tratofflor makes wooden shoes in Waterloo.

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DEVELOPMENTAL CENTERS HOLIDAYS

The Chance Developmental Center children will return from holiday on June 19. The South Omaha DC will be closed for one week, June 19-23, while the church holds Vacation Bible School. Classes will resume on June 26.

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BEHAVIOR SHAPING UNIT TO BE FILMED

There is a possibility that a film, produced by NARC, on the care of the profoundly and severely retarded will include a section filmed at our BSU. Film writers visited with Dr. Galloway recently; film crew could be here soon.

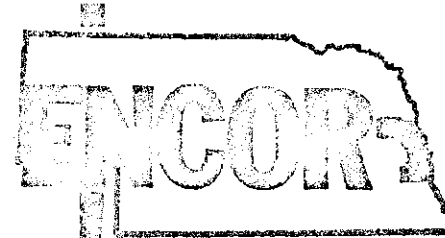
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CUMING STREET HOSTEL NEWS

All the boys have been camping and fishing recently; fish were then brought home for dinner. Bob Beckman, Tommy Jackson and Dave Jacoby are all on the junior summer bowling league at the Rose Bowl. They're called the "Flingers." Roger Robertson received "Best Boy of the Year" award at Mason School. Dennis O'Connell, Rickey Newman, and Roger Robertson all have summer jobs at Walnut Hill School through the Neighborhood Youth Corp.

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SARPY'S OUTDOOR CLASSROOM UNIQUE

Fifth year architectural design student, Larry Grams, in conjunction with the Community Design Center (C.D.C.) has developed a model for an "outdoor classroom" for the Sarpy Developmental Center. This classroom, costing about \$10,000, will incorporate various training areas as a swim pool for gross motor development; flooring such as rugs and cement for tactile sensory development; sand and garden areas for fine motor skills; the garden areas for nature training area; the 'destroyed' stair steps and the 'loft' for spatial orientation; and a regular staircase for general coordination. If the \$10,000 is raised, construction is scheduled to begin in late summer.

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MANHART SOFTBALL CASUALTY

Jim Manhart received a hair-line fracture of his leg while playing softball on the Fremont team against Pizza Hut on Friday, June 9. Jim wasn't the only casualty; we also lost the game, 11-2. This is their third consecutive loss.

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NORTH VSC SHAPING UP

The North Omaha VSC is gathering its staff and equipment to prepare for its opening. The final date still has not been selected because equipment is still being installed. The latest arrival was Tip Top's equipment which has been delivered and assembled.

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FREMONT DC
GOING GREAT

Two new children have started at the Fremont DC. 13 year old Cindy Drorak will be living with her parents at home; and, 7 year old David Rickert is in a foster home from Beatrice.

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WEST DC
SWIMMING

Staff and volunteers at the West DC will take the children swimming every Tuesday and Wednesday at the Rockbrook swimming pool during the months of June, July, and August.

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BLAIR HOSTEL
NEWS

Marty Utch visited the girls last week, she went home for the summer. The Johnsons, Harriet Thorsen, assistant houseparent, and her fiance, David Waite, traveled to Lincoln to hear Dr. Grunewald speak. Swimming lessons will start next week at the Blair Swimming Pool.

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B.S.U. STEPS
OUT

The eight youngsters at the Behavior Shaping Unit went to lunch on the 6th to Burger King. They all went inside sat down, and had lunch. Quite an accomplishment! Recently, all the kids had pink faces--as a result of eating cotton candy on their trip to the Henry Doorly Zoo.

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ENCOR MAKES
BIG TIME

On Sunday, June 11, ENCOR made page 1 of the New York Times. A rather lengthy article, written by Drummond Aires, describing the Omaha services as a "quiet metamorphosis that is slowly changing the whole approach to treating mental retardation." A copy of this article will be in the next clipping service.

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LOST AND FOUND

A key has been found in Central Office. For information, contact Pam.

RECREATION REVIEW

The Recreation Department is using a new format to publicize recreation activities available to the mentally retarded in the ENCOR area. A running calendar of activities will be published each month and distributed to all clients who are on our current mailing lists. Although the first editions start with the week of June 12th, future editions will cover the entire month. The calendars, entitled Recreation Review, are published in two editions -- one for children through age 15 and one for adults ages 16 and over. This edition of the Headliner includes an insert of the first editions of the Recreation Review. The adult listings will be found on the last page of the insert.

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HAILS TO . . .

Richard Zajak, staff member at the Bellevue VSC...Don Davis of KOWH "Gray Ghost" fame, at the N.O.V.S.C....Sheila George will be transferred to FRS as of 30 June...Debbie Orr, Ann Marie Samuels, and Nick Rengler, all of F.R.S....Mary McCarthy and Liz Wade, new houseparent assistants at Hamilton...Karen Flay, Vicky Wales, and Tommy Allen are all new teacher assistants at B.S.U....and, D. Willard and Marguerita Washington, student teachers at West D.C.

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BITS AND PIECES . . .

Jim Johnson, of F.R.S. will marry Marianne Bernstein on August 26th in Omaha...Jeanine Hopkins is getting married in November...Leon Schiermeyer of Fremont VSC, is spending 2 weeks with the Colorado Army Reserve...Bob Cieciora is also spending two weeks with Colorado Army Reserve...Benson VSC has added three new clients, Kathy Harris, Terry Clark, and Connie Calverat...Charlie and Kay Galloway, together with Steve Pew, traveled to Macon, Georgia to give a presentation...and Debbie Becks, of the Harney Hostel, celebrated her 20th birthday...Diane Gaeta, of West DC, is temporarily at J.P. Lord...Bradley Dunham, also of West DC will attend Oakdale School in the fall.

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BULLETIN BOARD

12 month old, 80-100 lbs. St. Bernard needs placement in a home with children. Trained; but no pedigree. Contact Ray Levendusky, B.S.U., 556-1863.

STATE SPECIAL OLYMPICS RESULTS

The 1972 Nebraska State Special Olympics meet was held May 26 and 27 in Lincoln, Nebraska. We are very pleased with the performance of the ENCOR team. The medal winners are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Medal</u>	<u>Event</u>
Monette Beuck	Bronze	Bowling
Kathy Vas Kamp	Bronze	Bowling
John Gossard	Bronze	50 yd. dash
Darryl Strickle	Silver	Softball throw
Frank Masloski	Gold	Softball throw
Charles Traster	Silver	Standing long jump
Bonnie Finley	Gold	300 yd. run
Jack Conrad	Silver	Softball throw
Jim Richeson	Silver	Softball throw
Gary Olson	Silver	Softball throw
Mike Wynne	Gold	50 yd. dash
Dennis O'Connell	Silver	25 yd. swim
Roger Robinson	Gold	Pentathlon
Dave Jacoby	Bronze	Softball Throw
Ricky Newman	Bronze	Bowling
Relay team	Gold	440 relay
Tom Jackson		
Roger Robinson		
Mike Jordan		
Mike Wynne		

Double medal winners:

Sue Flock	Gold	Pentathlon
	Bronze	50 yd. dash
Joe Bargar	Gold	Softball throw
	Bronze	50 yd. dash
Mike Jordan	Gold	Mile Run
	Bronze	50 yd. dash
Peggy Terry	Gold	25 yd. swim
	Gold	50 yd. swim
Eric Hoefker	Gold	25 yd. swim
	Silver	50 yd. swim
Terry Barker	Gold	Softball throw
	Bronze	Bowling

RECREATION

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June

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| 12 | MONDAY | - Drama Club, call Nancy Murphy. City Parks and Recreation, 341-8122. |
| 13 | TUESDAY | - *Picnic, Hanscom Park, 2000 Park Avenue, 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., 50¢ per person. * |
| 14 | WEDNESDAY | - Craft and Cooking Ideas, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 5:30 p.m.- 8:00 p.m., \$4.00 for 8 weeks. |
| 14 | WEDNESDAY | - Social Club meeting, ENCOR, 116 South 42 Street, 8:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. (Members and guests only) |
| 15 | THURSDAY | - Bowling, Ames Bowl, 56 and Ames, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. \$1.15. |
| 16 | FRIDAY | |
| 17 | SATURDAY | - Camping trip, Rocky Mt. Park, call Jim Johnson, 558-1115. |
| 18 | SUNDAY | |
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| 20 | TUESDAY | - *Putt Putt Golf, 90 and Center, 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., 60¢ per person. * |
| 21 | WEDNESDAY | - Craft and Cooking Ideas, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 5:30 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. |
| 21 | WEDNESDAY | - JOB MEETING, Bonanza, 6:00 p.m., 7575 Dodge |
| 21 | WEDNESDAY | - Physical fitness program, Benson Park Pavilion, 7028 Military, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. |
| 22 | THURSDAY | - Bowling, Ames Bowl, 56 and Ames, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., \$1.15. |
| 23 | FRIDAY | - *Putt Putt Golf, 92 and Maple, 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., 60¢, call Sue Elliott 558-1115. * |
| 24 | SATURDAY | - Camping trip to Brownville, call Jim Johnson 558-1115. |
| 25 | SUNDAY | |
| 26 | MONDAY | - Drama Club, Call Nancy Murphy, City Parks and Recreation, 341-8122. |
| 27 | TUESDAY | - *Peony Park, 8100 Cass, 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m., \$1.50 - \$2.00. * |
| 28 | WEDNESDAY | - Craft and Cooking Ideas, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. |
| 28 | WEDNESDAY | - JOB MEETING, ENCOR, 8:00 p.m. |
| 28 | WEDNESDAY | - Physical Fitness, Benson Park Pavilion, 7028 Military, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. |
| 29 | THURSDAY | - Bowling, Ames Bowl, 56 and Ames, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., \$1.15. |
| 30 | FRIDAY | - Pizza Party, Shakey's, 6305 Ames, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., \$1.50. |

* IN CASE OF RAIN, THE ACTIVITY WILL BE CANCELLED. *

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- 24 SATURDAY - *Motorboat Ride and picnic, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m., meet at Elmwood Park Pavilion, cost \$1.00, ages 7 - 11, call Sue Elliott, 558-1115.*
- 24 SATURDAY - *Picnic, Hanscom Park Pavilion, 2000 Park Avenue, 4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., 50¢, ages 12 - 16, call Sue Elliott, 558-1115.*
- 24 SATURDAY - *Field trip to zoo, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 a.m., meet at Washington Square Park, 35¢, ages 6 - 12, call Sue (Flip) Filipczak, 558-1115, Sarpy-Cass counties.*
- 24 SATURDAY - *Picnic, Louisville, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., cost 50¢, ages 13 - 16, call Sue (Flip) Filipczak, 558-1115, for transportation for those outside the Louisville area, Sarpy-Cass counties.*
- 24 SATURDAY - Boxing, Bryant Center, 2417 Grant, 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Boys, ages 12 - 16.
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BENSON VSC STARTS PRE-VOC

Approximately three weeks ago, the Benson VSC started a pre-vocational program for the work activities program trainees. Program consists of basic skills such as buttoning shirts, tying shoes, and combing hair.

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JOB NEWS

Lou Wheeler, formerly of the Benson VSC has been hired full-time by Lozier as of June 12...Tratoffler Inc. of Waterloo, currently has three Fremont VSC trainees on their payroll full-time--a fourth will be hired as of July 1...Rose Terry, of Fremont VSC, started June 1 at \$2.00 per hour with Bob's Carpet Cleaning and Janitorial Service in Fremont...Nancy Bedford has been working in the maintenance division of the Dodge County Hospital for \$280.00 per month...and Bellevue VSC placed their first person at SAC--working at the SAC Headquarters cafeteria.

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MAILS AND FAREWELLS TO . . .

the Central Office.

James L. Weinman, of Blair, as a WAC trainer at the Fremont VSC...and to Larry Kohn, new Finance Director at

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CASS COUNTY USES HAPPY CAB

Effective Monday, June 19, the fourteen people participating in ENCOR transportation from Cass County are no longer using the ENCOR bus; they are traveling with Happy Cab. This new procedure cuts down traveling time from an hour and fifteen minutes to only 45 minutes.

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STAFF NEWS

Carol Peterson, an ESU contract teacher at the Fremont VSC will tour Scandinavia from June 29 to August 7...John McGee and his wife are holidaying in Brazil, her home...Karen Faison broke two toes while opening a refrigerator door---seems a 4-pack was balanced precariously until the door was opened---and balance ended.

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ENCOR EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY OFFICE OF RETARDATION

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OUTDOOR CLASSROOM GETTING CLOSE

The dream, of the parents and staff of the Sarpy DC, for an OUTDOOR CLASSROOM is getting closer and closer to being a reality. Go-getter, Don Holdron has inched the bank account forward to the necessary \$10,000.00. To date, there is in excess of \$3,100.00. These funds have been raised via bake sales, chance tickets, out-right donations, and profits from the sale of Best Line products. Ground-breaking is scheduled for early August.

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GLENN TO TAKE EDUCATIONAL LEAVE

Linda Glenn, ENCOR's Director of Research and Planning has been granted an extended Educational Leave of Absence while she obtains her Ph.D. in Educational Administration from the University of Kansas in Lawrence, Kansas.

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ADULT EVENING ED. TO HALT FOR SUMMER

The evening adult educational classes at the Benson VSC, under the guidance and supervision of Omaha Public Schools, will have a summer break. However, because of keen interest in behalf of the students, the curriculum will be continued by VSC staff until the fall when OPS will once again provide this program.

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CONTRACTS VARY
FROM VSC TO VSC

trainees took 4 nuts off of a board and salvaged them. Mid-West makes mini-bike seats.

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BENSON DC
STAFF TO OBSERVE

Staff has taken advantage of this time to catch up on paper work and to visit non-ENCOR developmental centers in Wahoo, Norfolk, and the Early Learning Place (soon to open in Omaha). The staff is observing classroom techniques as well as playground equipment.

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PARENT GROUPS
BITS AND PIECES

House... Benson DC parent group has elected Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nichols as chairmen.

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VSC STAFF
IN DEMAND

The entire VSC staff will conduct one-half day workshop for the regional AAND convention to be held in Omaha in October...Jim Manhart has been invited to address the CEC meeting in the fall...John McGee has been invited to David City (Otoe County) to talk about the need for vocational training...Jim Byrnes has just returned from Green Valley State Institution (serving all of eastern Tennessee) where he spoke about the dispersal of residents to their home community.

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SLAIR BOWLERS
TOPS IN LEAGUE

The Jokers I, a bowling team made up of Mrs. Johnson, Harriet Thorsen, and Monette Beuck, is an integral part of a community women's bowling league called Nebraska, Iowa, and New York in Blair. Jokers I is currently holding first place in the league. Also in the league is Jokers II from the hostel.

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BELLEVUE VSC
SETS NEW GOAL

The staff at the Bellevue VSC is currently working on a project where each trainee will: 1) take the bus to and from work; 2) have his or her own bank account; 3) shop at Southroads and 4) become familiar with the shops and resources of Main Street in Bellevue. Hopefully, the program can be initiated in 30 days.

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ENCOR's WIZARD
OF OZ

Omaha City Parks and Recreation, under the direction of Nancy Murphy and John McCully are cooperating with ENCOR to produce the "Wizard of Oz." The cast, which includes 11 ENCOR clients and 3 volunteers, practices weekly in various areas of the city. The cast has been assigned parts and everyone is doing a great job learning their lines.

each day is a new account

If you had a bank that credited your account each morning with \$86,400 —

That carried over no balance from day to day —

Allowed you to keep no cash in your account —

And every evening cancelled whatever part of the amount you had failed to use during the day —

What would you do?

Draw out every cent every day, of course, and use it to your advantage!

Well, you have such a bank — and its name is "TIME."

Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night, it rules off as lost whatever of this you have failed to invest to good purpose.

It carries over no balances.

It allows no overdrafts.

Each day, it opens a new account with you.

Each night, it burns the records of the day.

If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours.

There is no going back.

There is no drawing against the "Tomorrow."

It is up to each of us to invest this precious fund of hours, minutes and seconds in order to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success!

BULLETIN BOARD

Karen Green, Director of the D.M.U. needs some large plastic Chlorax bottles, and some medium size plastic Joy bottles. She also need painters of all sizes and shapes -- contact Karen at Central Office.

FOR SALE -- 2 old-fashioned child-size school desks--\$5.00 each--one for a 5 year old and one for an 8 year old. See Karen Faison, Central Office.

FOR SALE -- A Lane Contemporary glass top coffee table; matching Lane Contemporary glass top end table; and one contemporary cork lamp -- call Mary Croft at Crisis Assistance, 345-9717.

THANKS FROM
RED CROSS

Don Moray, Doug Hansen, Karen Faison, Luanne Nickerson, Raymond Bevins, and Cathleen Cavanaugh.

The Red Cross Blood Program acknowledges the recent donations of the following ENCOR employees: Bill Hinze,

Dear ENCOR Staff,

I know this tragedy has affected each and everyone of you in a different way, because these young men were part of each and everyone of you, from the houseparents, to the counselors, to Brian and to all the others. And to the brave young man who lost his life trying to save another. I would like to say, I am proud of the way you have done. I am proud in the light of such tragedy you did not give up. You did not say "I quit." Instead each of you continued to do his job to the best of their ability.

A Parent

SARPY DC
NEWS

This Center will be closed from July 24 to July 28. Even though the parent group has disbanded for the summer, their activities continue: They've raised \$3,500 to go towards the Outdoor Classroom. Student Phillip Giles spent six weeks in Scotland.

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REDICK HONORED
BY KOIL

of the Day on Monday, July 3, 1972.

Steve Redick, ENCOR's Vocational Placement Coordinator was named KOIL's Businessman

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DMU TO
OPEN DOORS

The latest reports are that the Developmental Maximation Unit, the super-facility at Douglas County Hospital, will officially begin operation on August 7 when the first youngsters return from Beatrice. The staff is being assimilated, the equipment purchased, and more than 46 names of youngsters screened for this facility. Excitement is intense.

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CONSULTANT FOR
SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Charles O. Neidt, Ph.D., Academic Vice-President and Professor of Psychology at Colorado State University, will consult with Psychological Services for 3 days. Dr. Neidt will be consulting on new methods of assessment and evaluation to be used by teachers and trainers.

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GLENN TAKES
LEAVE

Linda Glenn, Director of Research and Planning, has taken an extended educational leave while she pursues her doctorate at the University of Kansas. Linda tells us that she really isn't leaving--she'll be back and forth. Tom Miller will gradually be assuming some of her duties.

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2.

HOPE IS A SUSTAINING HUMAN GIFT

by Norm Dittman

Approximately two years ago Jeff J. was just another six year old retarded hydrocephalic staring aimlessly at the ceilings and walls of one of the many overcrowded, understaffed, dehumanizing wards of a typical state institution. Jeff entered the state institution at age two months and was still in diapers at age six. Along with not being able to dress himself, feed himself or make one verbal sound, Jeff was also burdened with being semi-ambulatory. Because of these conditions, Jeff was very withdrawn, stubborn and would not relate with others. But if one is denied of the right of a normal environment and normal interaction with other people, it would be hard to relate at all. The only way Jeff could show any emotion at all was to cry, but there were no sounds, just big tears. Jeff was expected to remain at the institution requiring custodial care until death.

Today, however, Jeff is out of the institutional clutches and is living in a comfortable home environment in a hostel with five other retarded children and their houseparents. Jeff has conquered many barriers and has learned to dress himself, and walk on his own, which is one of his more favorite pastimes. Jeff was completely toilet-trained in three months after attending a Developmental Center and his speech has improved much beyond that of a hundred words and he loves to learn. He concentrates very hard on any task whether it be of a domestic or academic nature. Jeff relates very well with others in both school and hostel environments and is very well mannered. He has also formed a very glittering personality and vivid imagination which did not exist in his life only two years ago. Jeff has graduated from the Developmental Center and is now attending special classes for trainable mentally handicapped in the public schools. He is recognized as being one of the most productive students in his class.

Jeff's parents have not had much exposure to him since his admittance to the state institution at age two months. Although they have participated in projects and programs associated with mental retardation, there has not been any great amount of individual contact with Jeff. But just within the last seven months the parents have met with Jeff on holidays and other occasions and brought his sisters to meet him. So although throughout a seven and a half year period

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continued...

the family was developing as a unit by themselves and excluding Jeff, the ever prodding thought of love between parent and child has and will continue to penetrate into this unit and then maybe love really will be believing in the fulfillment of another person.

Jeff is definitely a milestone in the many cases of mental retardation and hope was and still is the sustaining human gift for him and his future, which now looks very bright and productive.

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HAILS TO . . .

Linda Rahley, Rose Ann Funk, and Sherri Nielson, all part-time recreation assistants---Linda will be working in Sarpy and Cass Counties; Rose Ann in Douglas County; and Sherri in Washington County...Bruce Hall, new recreation technician for Crisis Assistance...Connie Eden and Mary LaBute, residential aides at Crisis Assistance...Diane Lancel, new Medical Records Librarian in FRS...Cathie Cavanaugh who has transferred from the Benson DC to DMU...Jeanne Loffer and JoAnne Chambers, teachers at the DMU...Sue Edgerton, part-time at South DC in the non-ambulatory room.

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WEST DC
NEWS

A belated welcome back to Vi Moeckel who has been on the recovery list. This center has two new children, Craig Larson in the intermediate room and Darren Dixon in the primary room. The center will be "filling in" while some of its staff takes vacation.

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SOUTH DC AND
WEST DC TO BE FILMED

A film crew from the National Association for Retarded Children will be shooting footage at EMCOR's South DC and West DC on Monday, July 17 and Tuesday, July 18. The film will be used in a documentary being developed by NARC.

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LOMR LEARNS BY GALLOWAY

Charlie Galloway will present an all day seminar for LOMR staff and parents on Friday, July 28 in Lincoln.

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BITS & PIECES...

Bill Hinze, a member of the "Flying Fuzz Flying Club" took his first solo on Sunday, July 9th and is now eligible for his "solo wings"...Tommy Higgins at the Hamilton Hostel is now imitating sounds...Doug Foster knocked staffer Ann Rench "out cold" when he somersaulted and inadvertently clipped her - Then, he had the foresight to revive her by sprinkling her face with water from the wading pool...Kim Lucas at the Fremont Hostel will be going to the Fremont Opportunity Center soon...Mike McMahon, age 18, will be moving into the Fremont Men's Hostel soon from Beatrice...Bobby Agee and Bohumil Bohaboj are expecting to move into the first Fremont apartment...Have you noticed that Central Office parking has greatly improved?...Jim "JB" Byrnes was last seen wiping a big, wet tear from his eye over the loss (misplacement) of his little, black, Commodore (for those of you who don't know, Commodore was JB's mini-calculator)---anyone having knowledge of Commodore's whereabouts should call JB.

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HAWTHORNE TO BE REALITY

A home at 3724 Hawthorne is being renovated to be ENCOR's newest acquisition. It will be used by 8 men who will also be training at the North Omaha VSC. Opening date has not been set. The Carters, houseparent assistants at Cuming Street are slated to be the houseparents.

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OMR GRANTS CONTINUING BUDGET

ENCOR has received notification that that it will get a continuation grant of \$297,000.00 from OMR for fiscal year 72-73. This is about the same amount as granted for fiscal year 71-72.

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NOTE: Southroads is having a Sewing Show, August 2nd, 3rd, and 4th. Registration date is July 25, cash prizes, call Flip for more information.

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- 5 SATURDAY - *Watermelon Party, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 5:00-7:00 p.m., 35¢ per person, all you can eat, call Lee Anderson, 558-1115. *
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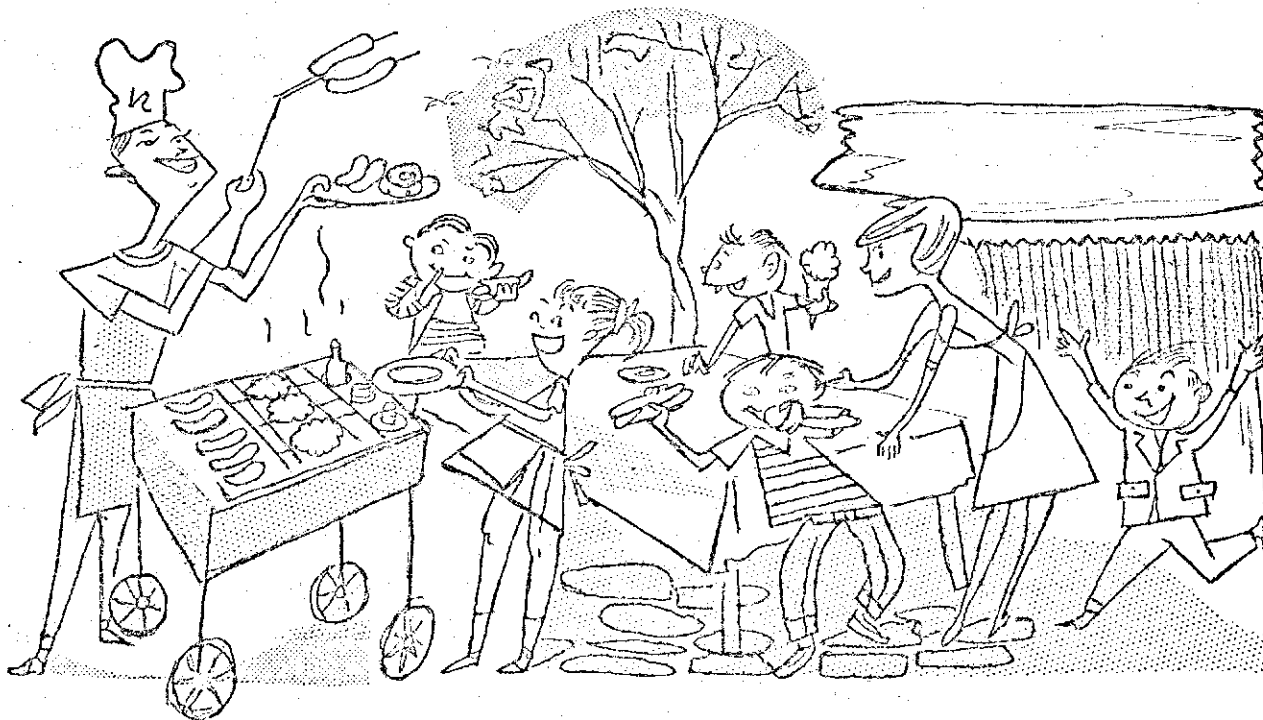
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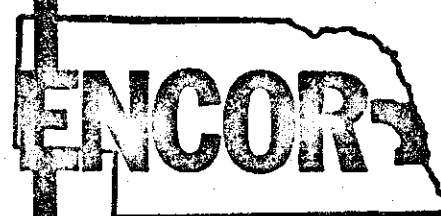
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S.O. SATELLITE TO BE REALITY

Ed Skarnulis has announced plans to to open a temporary South Satellite office at the Doctor's Building on So. 42nd Street by September 1. The following people will be moving from central office to the South Satellite: Linda Kopecky, Office Manager; Mary Kenworthy, Counselor II; Roger Harms and Debbie Orr, Adult Counselors; Clayton Kennedy, Children's Counselor; Marsha Honrath, Developmental Home Coordinator; Jim Johnson, Recreation Technician; Jerry Dyksterhuis, Psychometrist; and Francie Shrier, Speech Clinician.

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BULLETIN BOARD

Re-webbing of Lawn Chairs. \$2.00 for chair, \$3.00 for chaise lounge type. Fremont VSC trainees do an excellent job at re-webbing. If you have a need of lawn chair repair call us at 721-8525, or bring your chairs to 935 South Schneider Street, Fremont.

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ENCOR ON KOWH

On Sunday, August 13 at noon, radio station KOWH will have John McGee and Don Davis on the "UMOJA" show with host Norm Shipp. Subject of the discussion will be the impact of ENCOR on the North Omaha area.

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EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY OFFICE OF RETARDATION

Headliner

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DMU OPENS IT'S DOORS

ENCOR's long-awaited Developmental Maximation Unit, previously known as West 1 at the Douglas County Hospital, officially began operation on Monday, August 7 with the first eight youngsters. The youngest is 4½ month old Greg Sacks and the oldest is 10 years. The staff of 13 full and part-time will cover this unit on a 24 hour basis.

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SOUTH AND WEST DC HAVE NEW LEADS

Ivy Beatrice Allard will assume the role of Lead Teacher at the West Developmental Center when Vi Moekel leaves to complete her Masters. Vi will enter UNO Master's program in guidance and counseling and should receive her degree next summer. Linda Esterling will be the new Lead Teacher at South Omaha Developmental Center filling Ivy's position. This will be effective August 16th.

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ENCOR GETS OMR GRANT

ENCOR has been duly informed that OMR (The State Office of Mental Retardation) granted a continuation budget of \$297,000.00 to ENCOR for FY '72-73.

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MEMORIALS INCREASING

GOARC has received \$1,393.33 in memorials to the six men who drowned July 2. The Benson VSC trainees, staff, and parents are forwarding more than \$500.00 to GOARC in memory of all six men bringing the total to \$1,839.33.

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BUDGETS FOR FIVE COUNTIES REQUESTED

of the counties share is based on the individual taxable valuation as follows:

Cass County	\$ 33,793.00	(5.1%)
Dodge County	55,660.00	(8.4%)
Douglas County	492,324.00	(74.3%)
Sarpy County	53,672.00	(8.1%)
Washington County	27,168.00	(4.1%)
TOTAL	\$662,617.00	(100.0%)

The \$662,617.00 from the five counties is needed to match federal and state funds generating a total agency operating budget of more than 3.5 million dollars for the next fiscal year (72-73). This budget will enable ENCOR to increase the number of mentally retarded children and adults served in fiscal year 72-73 to approximately 1500 individuals.

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RECREATION by JACK KNICKMAN

The youth and adults have been turning red and brown during the month of July. This was caused by making as much use of the beach and the smiling sun as possible. Everyone had a great time playing frisbee and romping in the water.

The youth from the Developmental and Opportunity Centers went to a swimming party on the 21st. The youth group from the Presbyterian Church organized the outing, and ENCOR supplied the transportation to North Bend. The goal of ENCOR is for as many such activities with joint communal involvement. ENCOR extends a hand of appreciation to this group.

Three ENCOR programs began in July, each being a commendable addition for Dodge and Washington Counties. A children's activity program, with Sharon Nielsen as coordinator, was started in Blair. Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. are the days and times of the program. Sharon also has adult Arts & Crafts at the Congregational Church on Wednesday nights from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

In Fremont, ENCOR and the Fremont Public School system decided to keep the Opportunity Center open for the remainder of the summer. ENCOR is funding the program for the last six weeks and has employed Vicki Nichols as supervisor.

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RECREATION, Continued

Sharon and Vicki are both doing fantastic jobs and ENCOR feels privileged to have these girls on its staff.

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BITS AND PIECES

Fremont Houseparents, the Frank Furneizens are the proud parents of a brand new baby boy, Robert Peter, born Monday, July 24...John Mixan is fulfilling his 2 week reserve duty commitment at Ehrling Bergquist Hospital, Offutt AFB.

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FREMONT DC EXPANDS TO 18

On August 1st the Fremont Developmental Center will have an enrollment of 18 students. During July we welcomed four new students: Jan Ann Larsen, Carl Reeser, Mike McDowell and Donovan Kephart.

Four new staff members started at the Center recently: Susie Yost and Nancy Hildenbrand are new teacher aides; Joann Anderson is our new cook; and Peter Hines will replace Sharon Haag who has accepted a job with the public schools as of July 28.

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FAREWELLS TO

Barbara Nebritzich, Teacher Assistant at BSU...Bill Kyles, Developmental Program Specialist...Donald Reineke at the Sarpy DC...Judy Ford and Laurie D'Audney, Houseparent Assistants at the Harney Hostel...and Ruth Whitney, Speech Clinician with Supportive Services.

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CHANCE TO GET NEW LEAD

Mary Petsche, the founder and organizer of Project Chance--the forerunner of the CHANCE Developmental Center--will leave ENCOR on August 25. She has been working with the program since February, 1967 when she began writing the initial HEADSTART grant. Project Chance opened its doors on July 31, 1967 and it became a part of ENCOR on July 1, 1970. Mrs. Emerance McNeil has been hired to be the new Lead Teacher, as of September 1st.

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- 2 WEDNESDAY - *Arts & Crafts, Betz Playground, 27th & Van Buren, 12:00-2:00 p.m., ages 6 - 12.*
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- 5 SATURDAY - *Baseball Game, Rosenblatt Stadium, 1202 Bert Murphy Avenue, 7:30-9:30 p.m., we will meet by general admission ticket office, cost \$1.00, ages 8 - 16, call Flip for reservations.*
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- 12 SATURDAY - *Circus, Southroads Parking Lot, meet at south end of Mall, ages 6 - 11, call Flip for reservations.*
- 13 SUNDAY - *Family Picnic at Louisville, ages 12 - 16, The Whole Family Is Welcome! Cost 50¢ per person, call Flip for specific location.*
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- 19 SATURDAY - *Putt-Putt Golf, meet at Cerv's Driving Range, 3129 W. South Omaha Bridge Road, Council Bluffs, ages 12 - 18, 1:00-3:00 p.m., cost: Driving Range-\$1.25 or 85¢, Miniature Golf-50¢, Go-Karts-\$1.25, Archery-35¢, call Flip for reservations.*
- 20 SUNDAY - *Family Picnic at Louisville, ages 6 - 12. The Whole Family Is Welcome! Cost 50¢ per person, call Flip for exact location.*

NOTE: Southroads is having a Sewing Show, August 2nd, 3rd, and 4th. Registration date is July 25, cash prizes, call Flip for more information.

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- 2 WEDNESDAY - Craft and Cooking Ideas, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 5:30-8:00p.m. This is the last night for this program.
- 2 WEDNESDAY - *Physical Fitness Program, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 6:30-8:30 p.m., meet by the playground equipment and blue shack. *
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- 5 SATURDAY - *Watermelon Party, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 5:00-7:00 p.m., 35¢ per person, all you can eat, call Lee Anderson, 558-1115. *
- 5 SATURDAY - Weeping Water Bowling at Cass Bowl, 2:00 p.m., cost \$1.20.
- 5 SATURDAY - Camping trip to Dead Timber State Recreation Area, reservations are
6 SUNDAY required, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.
- 7 MONDAY - Drama Club, Call Nancy Murphy, City Parks and Recreation, 341-8122.
- 8 TUESDAY - Roller Skating at Skateland, S. Highway 73-75, 7:00 p.m., \$1.50 per person, meet at ENCOR, 116 South 42 Street, reservations are required, for transportation, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.
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Paul Carter, Dennis Womack and R. D. Waller, Training Assistants at the NVSC ...Catherine Kroeze, Teacher Assistant at South DC...Jo Wanda King, Teacher Assistant at the Chance DC...Marie Barnes, Teacher Assistant at BSU...Mary Beard, Secretary, BSU...Roberta Neir, Teacher at the newly opened DMU... Genia Bolich, Vicki Spidle, Betty Holdorf, Kathy Crisler, and Sandy Beckenhauer all full-time assistants at DMU...Mary Chesire, Cheryl Emery, Dorothy Treadwell and Jim Davis, all part-time assistants at DMU...Mary Hart, Teacher Assistant at Benson DC...Ashley Phillips, Custodian at the Fremont DC...Vicky Wales, Teacher at the BSU...George Montooth, Houseparent Assistant at Cumings...Leo Collison, Mark Endelicato and Will Marriot, houseparent assistants for co-resident apartments...Richard Link, bus driver... Lynn Ruser, counselor-aide in Family Guidance...Catherine Pope and Robert Portnoy, Speech Clinicians in Supportive Services...and John Tharaeson, Assistant Placement Coordinator for Vocational Services.

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S.O. SATELLITE TO BE REALITY

Ed Skarnulis has announced plans to to open a temporary South Satellite office at the Doctor's Building on So. 42nd Street by September 1. The following people will be moving from central office to the South Satellite: Linda Kopecky, Office Manager; Mary Kenworthy, Counselor II; Roger Harms and Debbie Orr, Adult Counselors; Clayton Kennedy, Children's Counselor; Marsha Honrath, Developmental Home Coordinator; Jim Johnson, Recreation Technician; Jerry Dyksterhuis, Psychometrist; and Francie Shrier, Speech Clinician.

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BULLETIN BOARD

Re-webbing of Lawn Chairs. \$2.00 for chair, \$3.00 for chaise lounge type. Fremont VSC trainees do an excellent job at re-webbing. If you have a need of lawn chair repair call us at 721-8525, or bring your chairs to 935 South Schneider Street, Fremont.

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ENCOR ON KOWH

On Sunday, August 13 at noon, radio station KOWH will have John McGee and Don Davis on the "UMOJA" show with host Norm Shipp. Subject of the discussion will be the impact of ENCOR on the North Omaha area.

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ENCOR

EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY OFFICE OF RETARDATION

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DMU OPENS IT'S DOORS

ENCOR's long-awaited Developmental Maximation Unit, previously known as West 1 at the Douglas County Hospital, officially began operation on Monday, August 7 with the first eight youngsters. The youngest is 4½ month old Greg Sacks and the oldest is 10 years. The staff of 13 full and part-time will cover this unit on a 24 hour basis.

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SOUTH AND WEST DC HAVE NEW LEADS

Ivy Beatrice Allard will assume the role of Lead Teacher at the West Developmental Center when Vi Moekel leaves to complete her Masters. Vi will enter UNO Master's program in guidance and counseling and should receive her degree next summer. Linda Esterling will be the new Lead Teacher at South Omaha Developmental Center filling Ivy's position. This will be effective August 16th.

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ENCOR GETS OMR GRANT

ENCOR has been duly informed that OMR (The State Office of Mental Retardation) granted a continuation budget of \$297,000.00 to ENCOR for FY '72-73.

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MEMORIALS INCREASING

GOARC has received \$1,393.33 in memorials to the six men who drowned July 2. The Benson VSC trainees, staff, and parents are forwarding more than \$500.00 to GOARC in memory of all six men bringing the total to \$1,839.33.

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BUDGETS FOR FIVE
COUNTIES REQUESTED

The ENCOR budget request for the next fiscal year from the five counties served by ENCOR is \$662,617.00. Each of the counties share is based on the individual taxable valuation as follows:

Cass County	\$ 33,793.00	(5.1%)
Dodge County	55,660.00	(8.4%)
Douglas County	492,324.00	(74.3%)
Sarpy County	53,672.00	(8.1%)
Washington County	27,168.00	(4.1%)
TOTAL	\$662,617.00	(100.0%)

The \$662,617.00 from the five counties is needed to match federal and state funds generating a total agency operating budget of more than 3.5 million dollars for the next fiscal year (72-73). This budget will enable ENCOR to increase the number of mentally retarded children and adults served in fiscal year 72-73 to approximately 1500 individuals.

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RECREATION
by JACK KNICKMAN

The youth and adults have been turning red and brown during the month of July. This was caused by making as much use of the beach and the smiling sun as possible. Everyone had a great time playing frisbee and romping in the water.

The youth from the Developmental and Opportunity Centers went to a swimming party on the 21st. The youth group from the Presbyterian Church organized the outing, and ENCOR supplied the transportation to North Bend. The goal of ENCOR is for as many such activities with joint communal involvement. ENCOR extends a hand of appreciation to this group.

Three ENCOR programs began in July, each being a commendable addition for Dodge and Washington Counties. A children's activity program, with Sharon Nielsen as coordinator, was started in Blair. Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. are the days and times of the program. Sharon also has adult Arts & Crafts at the Congregational Church on Wednesday nights from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

In Fremont, ENCOR and the Fremont Public School system decided to keep the Opportunity Center open for the remainder of the summer. ENCOR is funding the program for the last six weeks and has employed Vicki Nichols as supervisor.

RECREATION, Continued

Sharon and Vicki are both doing fantastic jobs and ENCOR feels privileged to have these girls on its staff.

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BITS AND PIECES

Fremont Houseparents, the Frank Furneizens are the proud parents of a brand new baby boy, Robert Peter, born Monday, July 24...John Mixan is fulfilling his 2 week reserve duty commitment at Ehrling Bergquist Hospital, Offutt AFB.

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FREMONT DC
EXPANDS TO 18

On August 1st the Fremont Developmental Center will have an enrollment of 18 students. During July we welcomed four new students: Jan Ann Larsen, Carl Reeser, Mike McDowell and Donovan Kephart.

Four new staff members started at the Center recently: Susie Yost and Nancy Hildenbrand are new teacher aides; Joann Anderson is our new cook; and Peter Hines will replace Sharon Haag who has accepted a job with the public schools as of July 28.

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FAREWELLS TO

Barbara Nebrizich, Teacher Assistant at BSU...Bill Kyles, Developmental Program Specialist...Donald Reineke at the Sarpy DC...Judy Ford and Laurie D'Audney, Houseparent Assistants at the Harney Hostel...and Ruth Whitney, Speech Clinician with Supportive Services.

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CHANCE TO
GET NEW LEAD

Mary Petsche, the founder and organizer of Project Chance--the forerunner of CHANCE Developmental Center--will leave ENCOR on August 25. She has been working with the program since February, 1967 when she began writing the initial HEADSTART grant. Project Chance opened its doors on July 31, 1967 and it became a part of ENCOR on July 1, 1970. Mrs. Emerance McNeil has been hired to be the new Lead Teacher, as of September 1st.

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This newsletter is published monthly for Children and Teens in Cass and Sarpy counties by the ENCOR Developmental Recreation Department. Sue "Flip" Filipczak Community Consultant for Sarpy-Cass Counties.

AUGUST

- 1 TUESDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13. *
- 2 WEDNESDAY - *Arts & Crafts, Betz Playground, 27th & Van Buren, 12:00-2:00 p.m., ages 6 - 12. *
- 3 THURSDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13. *
- 5 SATURDAY - *Baseball Game, Rosenblatt Stadium, 1202 Bert Murphy Avenue, 7:30-9:30 p.m., we will meet by general admission ticket office, cost \$1.00, ages 8 - 16, call Flip for reservations. *
- 8 TUESDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13. *
- 9 WEDNESDAY - *Arts & Crafts, Betz Playground, 27th & Van Buren, 12:00-2:00 p.m., ages 6 - 12. *
- 10 THURSDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13. *
- 12 SATURDAY - *Circus, Southroads Parking Lot, meet at south end of Mall, ages 6 - 11, call Flip for reservations. *
- 13 SUNDAY - *Family Picnic at Louisville, ages 12 - 16, The Whole Family Is Welcome! Cost 50¢ per person, call Flip for specific location. *
- 15 TUESDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13. *
- 16 WEDNESDAY - *Arts & Crafts, Betz Playground, 27th & Van Buren, 12:00-2:00 p.m., ages 6 - 12. *
- 17 THURSDAY - *Swim Program, James Dowding Pool, 12:00-1:00 p.m., 50¢ per lesson, ages 5 - 13, Last day of swimming, Mothers are welcome to watch. *
- 19 SATURDAY - *Putt-Putt Golf, meet at Cerv's Driving Range, 3129 W. South Omaha Bridge Road, Council Bluffs, ages 12 - 18, 1:00-3:00 p.m., cost: Driving Range-\$1.25 or 85¢, Miniature Golf-50¢, Go-Karts-\$1.25, Archery-35¢, call Flip for reservations. *
- 20 SUNDAY - *Family Picnic at Louisville, ages 6 - 12. The Whole Family Is Welcome! Cost 50¢ per person, call Flip for exact location. *

NOTE: Southroads is having a Sewing Show, August 2nd, 3rd, and 4th. Registration date is July 25, cash prizes, call Flip for more information.

PROGRAM WILL CANCELLED IN CASE OF RAIN

If you have any questions or would like to make a reservation, call Sue (Flip) Filipczak at 558-1115.

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(Unless otherwise indicated, all activities will be held in Omaha.)

AUGUST

- 1 TUESDAY - *Putt-Putt Golf, 91st & Center, 7:30-9:00 p.m., 60¢ per person, for transportation call Sue Elliott at 558-1115. *
- 2 WEDNESDAY - Craft and Cooking Ideas, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 5:30-8:00p.m. This is the last night for this program.
- 2 WEDNESDAY - *Physical Fitness Program, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 6:30-8:30 p.m., meet by the playground equipment and blue shack. *
- 3 THURSDAY - Bowling, Ames Bowl, 56th & Ames, 3:00-5:00 p.m., \$1.15.
- 4 FRIDAY - Bellevue Bowling, 2:00-3:30 p.m., \$1.20 for 3 games.
- 4 FRIDAY - Family Picnic, 5:00-7:00 p.m. The Whole Family Is Invited! Cost 50¢ per person, reservations required, call Flip at 558-1115.
- 4 FRIDAY - Pizza Party, Shakey's Pizza Parlor, 6305 Ames, 6:30-8:00 p.m., \$1.50, call Sue Elliott at 558-1115.
- 5 SATURDAY - *Watermelon Party, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 5:00-7:00 p.m., 35¢ per person, all you can eat, call Lee Anderson, 558-1115. *
- 5 SATURDAY - Weeping Water Bowling at Cass Bowl, 2:00 p.m., cost \$1.20.
- 5 SATURDAY - Camping trip to Dead Timber State Recreation Area, reservations are required, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.
- 6 SUNDAY
- 7 MONDAY - Drama Club, Call Nancy Murphy, City Parks and Recreation, 341-8122.
- 8 TUESDAY - Roller Skating at Skateland, S. Highway 73-75, 7:00 p.m., \$1.50 per person, meet at ENCOR, 116 South 42 Street, reservations are required, for transportation, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.
- 9 WEDNESDAY - *Physical Fitness Program, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 6:30-8:30 p.m., meet by the playground equipment and blue shack. *
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- 11 FRIDAY - Bellevue Bowling, 2:00-3:30 p.m., \$1.20 for 3 games.
- 11 FRIDAY - *Sarpy County Rodeo in Springfield, meet at ticket office at arena, 8:00-10:30 p.m., cost \$2.00, call Flip at 558-1115 for reservations. *
- 12 SATURDAY - *Sarpy County Fair, 1:30-5:00 p.m., bring \$3.00 for rides, refreshments, etc., we will meet at the ENCOR parking lot, 116 South 42 Street, call Sue Elliott at 558-1115. *
- 12 SATURDAY - Camping trip to Desoto Bend Area in Iowa, reservations are required, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.
- 13 SUNDAY
- 13 SUNDAY - *Swim Party, Gallagher Pool, 2936 North 52 Street, 8:30-10:45 p.m., cost \$1.00, call Lee E. Anderson for reservations at 558-1115. *
- 14 MONDAY - Drama Club, call Nancy Murphy, City Parks and Recreation, 341-8122.

- 15 TUESDAY - *Dodge Park Picnic and Tour of USS Hazard, meet at ENCOR, 116 South 42 St. 6:30 p.m., \$1.50 per person, reservations required for transportation, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115. *
- 16 WEDNESDAY - *Physical Fitness Program, Benson Park, 7028 Military, 6:30-8:30 p.m., meet by the playground equipment and blue shack. *
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- 18 FRIDAY - Bellevue Bowling, 2:00-3:30 p.m., \$1.20 for 3 games.
- 19 SATURDAY - *Horseback Riding, 1:00-4:00 p.m., cost \$2.50, make reservations by Friday August 11, we will meet at the ENCOR parking lot, 116 South 42 Street, call Sue Elliott at 558-1115. *
- 19 SATURDAY - Pizza Party, Shakey's Pizza Parlor, South 1307 Ft. Crook Road, cost \$2.00 call Flip at 558-1115.
- 21 MONDAY through 26 SATURDAY - Week-long camping trip, reservations are required, call Jim Johnson at 558-1115.

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- 1 TUESDAY - Bowling, Kelley's Hilltop, 1313 North 48 Avenue, 2:00-4:00 p.m., (Chance)
- 1 TUESDAY - Adaptive Physical Fitness, Boys Club, 2200 North 20 Street, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Boys, ages 8-18, call Lee E. Anderson, 558-1115.
- 2 WEDNESDAY - Handicapped Swim Program, Jewish Community Center, 101 North 20 Street, 9:00-10:00 a.m., no charge.
- 2 WEDNESDAY - Girls Homemaking Class, Christ Child, 1248 South 10 Street, 1:30-3:30 p.m., Girls, 8 - 12.
- 2 WEDNESDAY - Adaptive Physical Fitness, Boys Club, 2200 North 20 Street, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Boys, ages 8-18, call Lee E. Anderson, 558-1115.
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- 3 THURSDAY - Bowling, Rose Bowl, 1110 North Saddle Creek Road, 3:00-4:30 p.m., 80¢, ages 7 - 18.
- 4 FRIDAY - Adaptive Physical Fitness, Boys Club, 2200 North 20 Street, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Boys, ages 8-18, call Lee E. Anderson, 558-1115.
- 4 FRIDAY - Arts & Crafts & Swimming, West Branch YMCA, 7502 Maple, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
- 4 FRIDAY - Rock Dance Classes, YMCA, 430 South 20 Street, 6:00-7:30 p.m., ages 14-18, call Lee E. Anderson, 558-1115.
- 5 SATURDAY - Pizza Party, Shakey's Pizza Parlor, 6305 Ames, 5:30-7:00 p.m., \$1.50, ages 12 - 18, call Sue Elliott, 558-1115.
- 5 SATURDAY - *Putt-Putt Golf, 9216 Maple, 10:00-11:30 a.m., cost 60¢, ages 7-11, call Sue Elliott, 558-1115. *
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- 12 SATURDAY - *Sarpy County Fair, 1:30-4:30 p.m., cost \$2.00, we will meet at the ENCOR parking lot, 116 South 42 Street, ages 7-18, call Sue Elliott, 558-1115. *
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CASS COUNTY CAPERS
by Flip

Into the quiet well-ordered lives of the residents of various nursing homes in Cass County there came a stranger.

Soon shattering the serenity of Weeping Water the local townspeople heard - "Strike one! Strike two! Strike three!" "Is that the ENCOR softball team?" they whispered. "No!" came the cry, "It's the Weeping Water Bowling Program." Three years ago it was a bi-monthly program, now it's weekly!

Strikes? We got 'emm. Spares? We got 'em. Splits? We got 'em. Gutterballs? Those too. Andy, Henry, Fern, Tony, Judy, Joe, Herbert, Victor and Marge developing bowling skills so maybe someday they can join a league.

The generous Cass County ARC ended the summer program with a dinner at the Ili VW Cafe - 5 miles out of town. For some, this was the first time in five years they'd been to a restaurant, for others the two hours bowling every Saturday has been their only opportunity for recreation.

"Go east young stranger," the bowlers said. So into Plattsmouth Manor she quietly tread.

Clifford, Mike, Gene I, Gene II, Verlan, Roger, Clyde, Norman, Elmer, Robert and Jose had been patiently waiting for three years with nothing to do, nowhere to go.

"We want to watch baseball, basketball, football, wrestling, hockey, racing and soccer." Roger the spokesman said. "But wheelchairs make life more difficult."

Strike one! Strike two! Strike three! "The Weeping Water Bowling Program?" you might ask. "No! The Omaha Royals baseball game."

Who should be watching but the men from Plattsmouth. With the cooperation of the nursing home, special vans, Rosenblat stadium and thoughtful volunteers the men saw not only a baseball game but also went to All Star Wrestling. And there's more to come.

What happened to that young stranger? To many she is no longer a stranger - she's a friend. Rumor has it that she finally knows who Cowboy Bob Ellis and Stan Polaski are.

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OPEN HOUSE AT BVSC

On August 24th, the Bellevue Vocational Services Center held Open House for the Bellevue

Business Community. More than 250 invitations went to Mission Street businesses, members of the press and surrounding businesses. All baked goodies were prepared by the clients. mmm!

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BENEFIT DANCE

The Sweet Adelines, a ladies barbershop quartet, will use

ENCOR's Developmental Maximation Unit as a beneficiary for their dance on October 7th. More details will be in the September HEADLINER.

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DOUGLAS COUNTY BUDGET

ENCOR's request of \$492,324.00 from Douglas County was ap-

proved. This is an increase from last years' \$400,000.00.

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PROJECT REC

August 14th thru the 18th proved to be a fun week for the

children from the Hamilton Hostel. Under the auspices of Project Rec, the children visited Offutt Air Force Base, Peony Park, and the Henry Doorly Zoo.

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NVSC

OPPD finally made the right connection and the North Vo-

ational Services Center now has adequate power for the operation of the Tip-Top Roller Packer. At long last!

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DMU

As you know, ENCOR's Developmental
Maximation Unit opened Monday, August
7th. Since that time, the HEADLINER has learned: Erin Berry began walking
with some support, Jolene Steinman can push a chair and walk behind it,
Brett Volkman uses a spoon to feed himself and Ronald Jack reaches for toys.

On August 20th, the staff and all the children attended a Rock Concert in
Elmwood Park.

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CHICAGO HOSTEL

James Barenz was honored with a birth-
day picnic on August 16th. The guest
list included members of the family, Helen Shaeffer, Steve Redick, Deb
McCollister, Shirley Dean, and Rose Mary Cornelius. A delightful time was
had by all.

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ENCOR ATHLETES
ATTEND SPECIAL OLYMPICS

The 1972 International Special Olympics
Meet, sponsored by the Joseph P.
Kennedy Foundation, was held at U.C.L.A.
in Los Angeles, California, August 13-18.

The ENCOR athletes which included Mike Jordan, Peggy Terry, Eric Hoefker,
Roger Robinson, Joe Bargar, and Sue Flock were part of the sixty Nebraska
participants sent to the meet. The Nebraska athletes competed against
3,000 athletes from other states in track, field, and swimming events.
And, although they did not win any medals, their enthusiasm was undaunted.

The athletes not only met Sargent & Eunice Shriver, Ethel Kennedy, Loren
Greene, Janet Leigh, and Artie Johnson, but also visited Universal Studios,
Disneyland and the Pacific Ocean.

The Olympic competition, traveling, and sightseeing made for an enjoyable
learning experience.

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BITS AND PIECES

Sorry to hear Mary Croft, of Crisis
Assistance Unit, hasn't been feeling
up to par...John Mixan has returned from his 2 week reserve duty...Kathy
Vacek moved into a staffed apartment...Mrs. Hammer is vacationing in Canada
...Congratulations to Jim Johnson in his forthcoming marriage to Marianne
Barnstein on the 26th of August...No school at Chance DC from August 28th
through September 4th. Classes resume on September 5th.

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3.

HARNEY STREET HOSTEL

The houseparents of the Harney St.
Hostel, Mr. & Mrs. Dyck, will vacate
in Canada for about 2½ weeks.

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ENCOR-VRU

A joint cooperative agreement between
the Nebraska Division of Rehabilitation
Services (DRS) and ENCOR resulting in an innovative Department of Vocational
Rehabilitation Unit (VRU) took effect July 1, 1972. Not only is this the
first time a VRU has been affiliated with a community program instead of
an institution, but the DRS region, in this particular case, was expanded
to encompass all of the ENCOR region. Under this agreement, the ENCOR-VRU
will make vocational placements on transferees from the BSH-VRU if jointly
determined to be appropriate by the ENCOR-VRU and BSH-VRU. First priority
will be assigned to ENCOR area residents.

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BDC

The Benson Developmental Center has
two new students. Jamie Barnheart is
a transfer student from West Developmental Center and Tom Cogan, who lives
in a Developmental Home, came from Beatrice.

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SDC

Two students will be leaving Sarpy
Developmental Center. Richard
Marshall enters CHAP School this fall, and Natalie Barta will be a scholar-
ship student to Welcome School, a normal pre-school.

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BSU

Matthew Friend, from the Behavior
Shaping Unit, will enter the Benson
Developmental Center this month. Also, Joan Echtenkamp moves to the
Harney Street Hostel the latter part of this month.

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SDC

David Lamm of South Developmental
Center enters Omaha's Lincoln Ele-
mentary School in September.

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4.

BIKE-A-THON

On Saturday, September 23, a statewide "Bike Ride for the Retarded" will be held. This event is sponsored by the Nebraska Youth Association for Retarded Children and is a total community effort. Young and old can ride as well as the handicapped.

Locally the Greater Omaha Association for Retarded Children is enlisting people to ride a bike over a predetermined route in the Omaha area. Prior to riding, each participant will secure pledges from friends, neighbors, relatives, etc., for at least 5 cents to be paid for each mile they ride.

If there are any questions, contact any of the following people: Nancy Cleary, 333-1955, Stacy Simon, 397-1050, or Arlo Burk, 333-5813.

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HAMILTON HOSTEL

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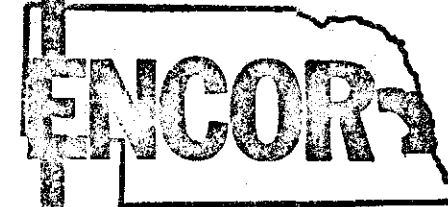
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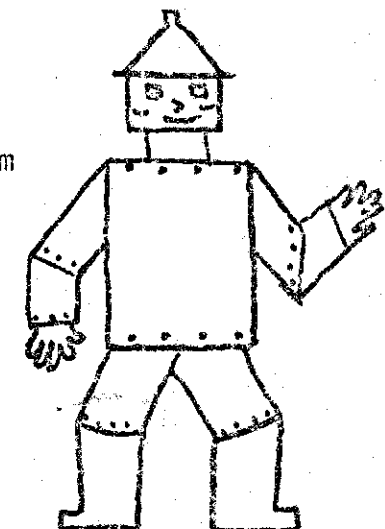
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If there are any questions, contact any of the following people: Nancy Cleary, 333-1955, Stacy Simon, 397-1050, or Arlo Burk, 333-5813.

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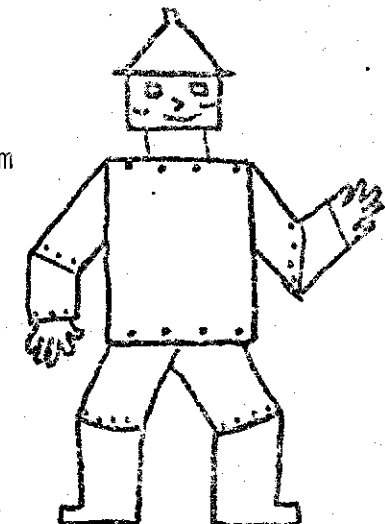
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FEDERAL FUNDING

The following report was made
by Burt Warren:

"On September 5th a group of individuals met with Senator Carl Curtis in the conference room at Eppley Airport in Omaha. The group meeting with the Senator included John Foley, Richard Meile and Brent Warren of NebARC; Bob Perske and Gary Taylor of GOARC; and Brian Lensink of ENCOR.

The meeting was called to express deep concern as to the content and ramifications of Senator Russell Long's Revenue Sharing Bill. Senator Curtis is a member of the Senate Finance Committee with Senator Long as its chairman.

Senator Curtis provided a brief history of the Revenue Sharing Bill as well as information concerning its effect in purchase of service programs in Nebraska. Senator Curtis indicated that if passed, the bill would restrict the funds available to Nebraska for social services and purchase of services to approximately 4.9 million dollars. This year Nebraska received approximately \$12 million. Obviously, this would drastically reduce the effectiveness of our current social service and purchase of service programs.

Senator Curtis also expressed a willingness to support a proposal which the National Association for Retarded Children is currently helping draft. This proposal would be in the form of an amendment to the Revenue Sharing Bill. It calls for the exemption of those services provided the mentally handicapped (as well as certain other services as yet not decided upon from the funding ceiling now present in the Revenue Sharing Bill). In effect this would mean an open-ended budget for services to the mentally handicapped.

Generally the meeting went quite well and Senator Curtis seemed sympathetic and well-informed about the nature of our concern. He also suggested that we all begin to contact our State Senators as well as the National Senators and Representatives concerning this issue."

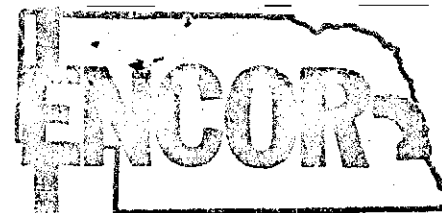
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the Nebraska State School at Cozad. Follow Scott, age 13, one of many Cozad success stories, who has learned to walk, to read and write, to talk above a squeak and who loves to play the autoharp. Won't you see how this delicate flower grows? Wednesday, Sept. 27, 9p.m. on stations of The Nebraska ETV Network.

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...a poignant, moving story of the
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BELLEVUE

ENCOR lost another fight to establish a hostel for six retarded children in a Bellevue neighborhood Monday night.

ENCOR had asked for a special use permit to establish the residential hostel at 806 Jewell Road. The Planning Board, after some controversial meetings, recommended granting the permit, but Monday night only two Bellevue councilmen, Monroe McCann and Robert Everett, voted for it.

"We'll be back," ENCOR Executive Director Brian Lensink said.

ENCOR had investigated the possibility of establishing two other hostels in Bellevue, but dropped those plans because of complaints from neighbors.

The hostel would have housed six retarded children up to the age of 16. They would have been cared for by a man and wife who would live in the home and would receive training and special services from other retarded programs in the ENCOR area.

Neighbors around 806 Jewell Road had objected to the iron fire escape the building would need. They also protested that the permit would lower property values, cause deterioration and that the retarded children would pose hazards to other children and property.

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RECREATION

On Saturday, September 30th,
City Parks and Recreation and
ENCOR are presenting the play, "Wizard of Oz."

Curtain goes up at 7:30 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church Auditorium, 542 South 31st Street. Admission is free, so bring a friend and enjoy a night at the theater.

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2.

WDSC

Ivy Allard, head teacher at West Developmental Services Center will vacation in England. She leaves the states September 30th. Bon Voyage Ivy!

Mary Nehe has returned to ENCOR after an extended leave of absence. She is an assistant teacher. WDSC has a new cook, Janice Dixon.

Philip Porter, age 4½, is back in school after heart surgery. David Swancutt is now a full day student from the Behavior Shaping Unit.

WDSC received an anonymous gift of a new 19 inch black and white T.V. set.

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BVSC

Benson Vocational Services Center has two new trainee assistants: Susan Tharnish and Ken Fancolly.

Also, there are four new clients: Diane McKinney, Jo Ann Ruvalo, Donna Matz and Robert Kimball.

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NVSC

The new addition to North Vocational Services Center was approved.

NVSC has five new clients this month: Tina DaVance, Mary Jean Crenshaw, Michael Wynne, Willie Luster and Willie Combs, Jr.

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CUMING HOSTEL

As of September 18th, Jim and Charlotte Carter are the "houseparents" at the Cuming Hostel. They were the assistants under Kurt and Melanie Rheinheimer. The Rheinheimer's resigned, as Melanie decided to return to college and complete her education.

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CRISIS ASSISTANCE UNIT

Congratulations to Mary and Jeff Croft on the birth of their daughter, Ellyson Renea, born September 23rd at 6:28 A.M. Weight, 8 lbs. 3½ ozs.

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CHRISTMAS CARDS AND CALENDARS

The Christmas season is almost here. GOARC will again sell Christmas cards and NARC is selling calendars. The illustrations for these cards and calendars were created by mentally retarded children.

ENCOR personnel can order their cards and calendars from Sue Elliott at the Central Office. Please contact her and give your support.

The deadline for all orders is November 1, 1972.

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Tommy, Kathy, Joe, Mike, Annie and Doug attended the Tom Madsen memorial picnic at Elmwood Park on September 17th.

Kathy will be going to the rodeo with her advocates, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Ryan.

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SDC

Wedding bells are ringing at Sarpy Developmental Center. Brenda Baugert an aide, married Phillip Roth this past weekend.

Two teachers, Pat Nolan and Karen Lechtenberg announced their engagement. A December wedding is planned.

Also, Sarpy has one new student - three year old Sheri Morinelli.

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BVSC

The Bellevue Vocational Services Center has six new clients. Lucille Shonka, Elnor Cordahl, Mike Pilon, Milton Mahoney, Wayne McClain and Dale Uhrenholdt.

Jo Wandel, an evaluator, leaves on September 29th.

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DMU

Jolene Steinman has started walking without assistance. Gina Clark's positioning chair will be finished this week and she will begin her adjustment to it by sitting up for 15 minutes at a time.

Brett, Christine and Kenneth are eating regular food.

Christine Jochum spent an evening out on the town with her parents.

Jolene was 10 years old last week and had a neat birthday party with two (2) cakes and lots of presents, plus a visit from her parents, who saw her walk.

Margie Green took Kenny Kemp shopping for Jolene's birthday present. He hand picked a puppet for her.

New children to the Developmental Maximation Unit are: Tim and Tom Fleck - 6 year old twins and Dawn Mabbit - 2 years old.

Welcome to Barbara Hoffman, new member of the day staff.

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BVSC

Congratulations to Tim Rogge, Workshop Supervisor (AD) at Bellevue Vocational Services Center, and Sue "Flip" Filipczak, Recreation Assistant on their forthcoming marriage - February 2nd.

BVSC has a new client, Richard Laird.

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POSITIONS OPEN IN AGS

The Adult Guidance Services of ENCOR will be hiring staff for the positions of Counselor II and Counselor Aide.

The Counselor II position involves the supervision and guidance of a group of counselors, as well as administrative responsibilities. A Masters Degree or BA plus two years of related experience is required. Previous supervisory experience in a social service area is preferred. The Counselor Aide 1) handles initial referrals to ENCOR; 2) works with individuals on specific skills (such as taking the bus, grocery shopping) as assigned by counselors; 3) does statistical reports; 4) completes special projects. Degree preferred, but not required. If you know of anyone who may be interested in these positions, please have them contact Shirley Dean at the Central Office.

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NVSC

Garnet P. Shoffner has been appointed director of the

North Omaha Vocational Services Center.

The Parent's meeting of September 28, proved to be a beautiful evening with staff, new director, Gus Shoffner, and many wonderful parents. Out of the meeting emerged the North-East's Parent Group. Offices were elected beginning with President - Jess Moore, Vice-President - Joe Seals, Secretary - Mrs. Moore, Assistant Secretary - Mrs. Haynes, Treasurer - Lillie Crenshaw, Activities Chairman - Mae Harris, Calling Committee Chairman - Florence Lee, and Group Coordinator - Opel Quarrels.

ENCOR's North Satellite Office is located at 16th & Manderson Streets. Stop in and get acquainted.

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SDC

News from Sarpy Developmental Center: Natalie Barta started

at Welcome School; Lorna Kiepke, age 12, has started to walk and Mathew Martin has graduated to a higher class.

Eileen Hogan and Charlie Galloway gave a workshop in Scottsbluff to the SOMAR Staff.

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CHANCE

Congratulations to Lula Sigler on the birth of her baby girl.

Sorry to hear Billie Cook, Counselor for Chance, is in Methodist Hospital. Get well soon.

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Our sincere condolences to Catherine Pope, Speech Clinician at North Vocational Services Center, upon the death of her mother, Mrs. Juanita Pope.

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BDS

Ruth Sharp, from the Special Education Department of the Omaha Public Schools, visited the Benson Developmental Center.

Special thanks to staff member Maureen Motl and Parent Group Chairman Bob Nichols. Through their efforts the parents completed renovation of the play area - now there is a huge sand pile; a concrete tricycle area; some new equipment and fresh paint on other equipment.

BDC has a new student, Kerry Stark, age 2½. John Bangura, age 9, walked 4 steps independently.

Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Cordes from the GOARC Task Force visited on 4 October.

Congratulations to Assistant Teacher Barbara Schaefer upon her marriage to Michael O'Hara.

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BITS & PIECES:

Satellite Offices closed every Friday morning for FRS (Family Resource Services) meeting...Congratulations to Mike and Mary Carden, Assistant Houseparents at the Fremont Men's Hostel, on the birth of their baby.

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BURT HOSTEL

Many thanks to Margaret Buswell for the luncheon she had on September 27th, for the 31 Senators and guests.

Butch Blum and Mike Jordan rode 22 miles in the Bike-a-thon for the retarded...Karen McElroy, a Special Education Teacher at Kellom School, volunteers one evening a week to come to the hostel and work with John Davis and Jerry McDonnell...Mike Jordan and Paul Adams are attending evening classes at Technical High School.

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RECREATION

The Recreation Department is the recipient of the Fitzhugh Boggs Memorial Award in Recreation. It was announced at the Annual meeting of the Nations Association for Retarded Children in Montreal, Canada on September 30, 1972.

The award is given to the Recreation program in the United States on the basis of number of retarded citizens served, functional levels served, program philosophy, and number of community agencies and organizations used in programming. The finalists for the award were chosen from a group of nearly fifty nominees. Each finalist's program was then visited by two members of the NARC staff and Recreation Committee. We were chosen from this group to receive the award.

In the field of Recreation Programming for the mentally retarded there are only two awards given annually in the world, this one and the AAMD Award.

The ENCOR Recreation Department has the distinction of being the only Recreation Department in the world to have won both these awards in one year. I would like to publicly congratulate the Recreation Department Staff (Sue Elliott, Lee Anderson, Sue Filipiczak, Jim Johnson, Bill Hinze, and Jack Knickman on the excellent job that they have done.)

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FDS

Shawn Borck, from the Fremont Developmental Center has been accepted to stay in the Kindergarten program at Grant School in Fremont. She is the first Down's Syndrome child accepted in Kindergarten in Fremont.

Cindy Dvorak, Denise Atwell and Kim Lucas have gone to TMR class at the Opportunity Center. Recent reports indicate they are doing well and we're all very proud of them. They are the first members of our alumni group from the Center!!! Scott Ross is attending the Jack and Jill Nursery School twice a week.

Congratulations to Susie Yost, an aide, who was married September 30th.

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CONSULTANT

Miss Margaret Adams, nationally recognized in the field of social work with the mentally retarded will be visiting ENCOR as a consultant to the counseling sections, October 29th through November 1st. Miss Adams will be speaking October 31st at 7:30 p.m. at Wittson Hall, University of Nebraska Medical Center. Miss Adams will be speaking on "What Can A Social Worker Do???" The public is invited and ENCOR staff is encouraged to attend.

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FVSC continued...

October 24, Leon Schiermeyer, Evaluator at the FVSC, attended the OMR General Training Session held in Grand Island, Nebraska.

October 17, Douglas E. Hansen, adult counselor, FVSC, spoke at a noon meeting of the Fremont Ministerial Association.

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BVSC

The Bellevue Vocational Services Center has embarked on a new facet of training for several of it's clients. A new pre-vocational program began on October 2nd with Herb Fitle, Terry Springsguth, Mike Pilon and Jim Risinger.

The purpose of the pre-vocational program is to develop better work skills, work habits, work attitudes, and more independence in each individual. Each client will be performing various janitorial skills, participating in socialization groups, work related classes and academic related classes, as well as performing their regular piecework production.

The purpose of the entire program is to develop the potential of each client to the highest possible level. We are confident that with the concentrated efforts of the workshop staff and the clients' parents, the program will be a success.

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Douglas County Hospital
4102 Woolworth Street, Omaha

on
Thursday, the second of November
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10:00 o'clock in the morning

RSVP - 558-1115

REMINDER

To order your Xmas cards and calendar please contact Sue Elliott at the Benson Family Services Office, 451-3705. Deadline for all orders is November 1, 1972.

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N-EFS

The Recreation Department is having its weekly meetings in the North-East Family Services Conference Room. Any other Division is welcome to schedule use of the conference room.

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CHANCE DC

Thanks to the mass volunteer efforts, Chance Developmental Center begins a face lifting November 10, 11, and 12. Anyone who wishes to volunteer his/her services, please contact Diane Kratochvil at the Central Office.

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NEW POSITION

Kathy Gromko, a former counselor-aide, will be starting a new job. Kathy will be recruiting and training potential foster home parents.

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CORRECTION

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SDC

Lynne Steiner, a student at the South Developmental Center, dropped her shoe in the otter pool at the Henry Doorly Zoo. The kids watched with delight as the otter picked up Lynne's shoe and swam around. A kind-hearted zoo attendant retrieved the shoe which disappointed both Lynne and the otter.

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BVSC

Mrs. Rood, Mr. Albaugh, Mr. Zion and Mr. McGee of the Benson Vocational Services Center have been conducting precision teaching classes. Those who attended were: Kent Fancolly, Susan Tharnish, Helen Schaefer, Arlene Lee, Gus Shoffner - Director of North Vocational Center, Nancy Koupal of DVR, David Coles of BVSC and Paul Carter of NVSC.

Rick Kent, a client, achieved 102% production on the Continental Bakeries contract.

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Senator Ernie Chambers of the 11th District visited the North Vocational Services Center on October 2nd.

Catherine Williams and Edna Watson are new volunteers at North.

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BSU

The Behavior Shaping Unit had an excellent picnic at Cooper Farms Saturday August 30 for parents; staff and kids from BSU. It was a fantastic success and helped to facilitate staff-parent-child communication.

Several staff are charting their own behavior as teachers. (Acc./Min./Day/Teacher.)

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On September 26, the Fremont Vocational Services Center had several guests from Chili - Miguel LaCosta, Juan Maldonado, Sergio Morales and Edquardo Dogwood. These gentlemen are members of the Rotary International Club and were visiting several cities in the U.S.A. We were delighted ENCOR was included on their itinerary.

October 1 thru 5, 1972: Mr. Cleo Shroeder, Workshop Supervisor of the FVSC and Mr. Jack Knickman, Recreation Coordinator of Washington-Dodge Counties, attended the International Congress for the Mentally Retarded in Montreal, Canada.

October 18-20, Mr. Jim Manhart joined other Division personnel in a presentation at the Region VIII AAMD meeting held at the Omaha Hilton. Mr. Manhart's paper was on "A Vocational Program Using Learning Tasks".

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CONTRIBUTION

\$1.00 will enable you to purchase a ticket worth one dollar toward any purchase at Arby's Roast Beef Restaurant in Omaha or Lincoln or the Cambridge Inn at the Westroads. Tickets must be used on or before November 30, 1972, on Sundays through Thursdays inclusive. The entire proceeds will go to the Madonna School for Exceptional Children. Spend a dollar and get more than food. We appreciate Arby's and the Cambridge Inn for donating their food and services. Tickets can be purchased through ENCOR's Public Relations Office.

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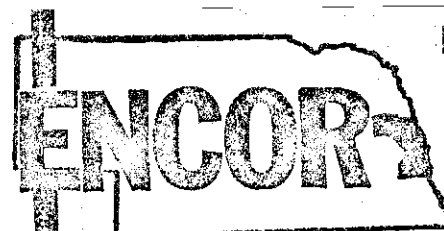
Aide at Behavior Shaping...Walter Bardner, Weekend Housekeeper at BSU... James Davis, Teacher Aide at DMU...Karen Glyn, Teacher Aide at DMU...Norma Horst, Teacher Aide at DMU...Robin Menderhall, Teacher Aide at DMU...Carol Shrier, Teacher Aide at DMU...Donette Marquiss, Clerk at DMU...Nora Peterson, Counselor at Crisis...Jerry Humpal, Counselor for Family Guidance Services... Arlene Lee, Secretary, Benson Vocational Center.. Roberta Portnoy, Teacher, Benson Vocational...Lois Rood, Evaluator, Benson Vocational...David Coles, Training Assistant, Benson Work Activities Center...Wayne Jensen, Evaluator transferred from Benson Vocational to Fremont Vocational...Janice Dixon, Cook at West Developmental Center...James Lucht, Teacher Aide at DMU... Michale McGee, Houseparent Assistant at Burt Hostel...Susan Harms, Houseparent Assistant at Harney Street Hostel...Terry Meier, Houseparent Assistant at Fremont Hostel, Steve and Sue Pedersen, New Houseparents at Fremont Hostel, and Terry Wheelock, Houseparent Assistant at Fremont Hostel... Kathleen Kane, Houseparent at Hawthorne Hostel.

FAREWELLS TO:

Melanie Rheinheimer, Houseparent at Cuming Street Hostel...Rose Furk, Recreation Technician Assistant...Linda Rohaly, Recreation Technician Assistant...Tom Hagel, Residential Aide at Burt Street Hostel...Mr. & Mrs. Cordes, Houseparents at Fremont Men's Hostel...Frank and Barbara Furneisen, Houseparents at Fremont's Childrens' Hostel...George Mezinko, Teacher Assistant at Behavior Shaping Unit...Bob Loffer, Trainer at Bellevue VSC.

All facilities will be closed November 23rd and 24th.

Everyone have a very enjoyable, thankful, Thanksgiving.



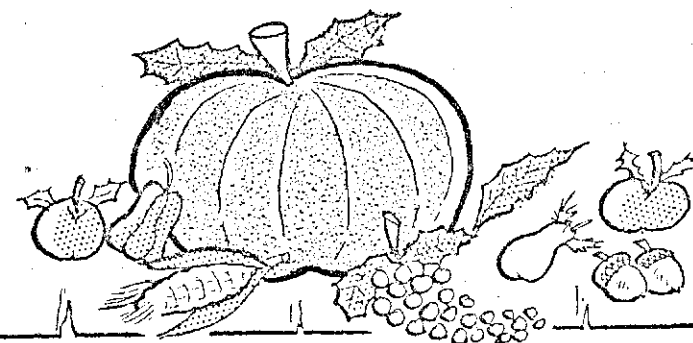
EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY
OFFICE OF RETARDATION

Headliner

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For flowers that bloom
About our feet
For tender grass, so fresh
So sweet
For Song of bird
And hum of bees
For all things fair
We hear or see
For blue of stream
And blue of sky
For pleasant shape
Of branches high
For fragrant air
And cooling breeze
For beauty of the
Blooming trees
For all these things
And many more
Give Thanks



NEWSLETTER

FEEL IT, the name of the new North-Eastern Newsletter, will be published on the first of each month. Its' purpose is to inform the parents and community on what is happening in ENCOR and its' Northeastern location. Areas to be covered will be the North-east Vocational Services Center, Chance Developmental Center, and the new office of Family Services.

DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER

From out West, Roddy Thomsen, an eight year old, is now walking unassisted, beautiful news from the West Developmental Center. The children also dressed in costumes and received Trick-or-Treat bags at their Halloween Party, October 30.

Benson Developmental Center was visited by Charlene Swanson, OMR Child Development Specialist.

Congratulations to Sarpy Developmental Center for receiving Honorable Mention in the "Commercial Renovated" category of the Greater Bellevue Area Chamber of Commerce's Beautification Program. With the presentation was stated, "Your commitment to aesthetic beauty has done much to maintain Bellevue's image and tradition as a beautiful view." SDC's Halloween Party was held on the 25th of October, thanks to the help of several Bellevue Senior High students.

The Fremont Developmental Center, complete with spook house and headless man was the site of their Halloween Party. Mrs. McGath, mother of one of the students, turned out to be the headless man.

Theresa Shockey, former program participant from Behavior Shaping is now in Fremont's Developmental Center.

Steve Lee and Vicky Wales attended the Columbus Workshop on Behavior Modification. They learned some interesting new methods and that has stimulated some new, creative ideas for BSU.

There has also been a physical change in the educational facility at the Behavior Shaping Unit. Now there are two classrooms. This change has had an organizing effect on the behavior of children and staff.

Welcome to Linda Filk, a new program participant.

VOCATIONAL SERVICES

The Northeast Vocational Services Center received a refrigerator from the Moore family, but they requested that the credit be given to "Norton As Is Shop."

Many thanks to Omaha Attorney, James P. Costello for his \$20.00 donation for decorations.

RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES

Robert Beckman and Ernest (Rick) Newman from Cuming Street Hostel were promoted to Cadet Privates in ROTC at Northeast High School. They've been members of the ROTC program since September, 1972.

The Burt Hostel has been having football pools every weekend. The first pool was won by John Davis, and last week the winner was Butch Blum.

Welcome to Frank Sterba, Bob Bosh, and Don Risner, new program participants from the Beatrice State Home.

Frank Sterba, after having been here two weeks already has a job in the kitchen at Methodist Hospital.

BULLETIN BOARD

A two bedroom apartment, bay windows, close to ENCOR's Central Office, low utilities, rent \$110.00 per month and with no lease will be available for rent December 1st. Location: 4701 Davenport Street. Contact: Diane Kratochvil, volunteer coordinator for added information.

VOLUNTEER SERVICES

Fifty-five volunteers from Temple Israel Youth Group and Theta Phi Alpha Sorority and ENCOR staff participated in a face-lifting for Chance DC November 10, 11, and 12th.

Infamous childrens' characters were painted directly on the walls of the classrooms and hallways.

Special salute to Roy and Betty Bevins and Skip Erickson for their 20 hours of volunteer time at Chance DC for face-lifting this last weekend. Without their help, the job could not have been completed.

ENCOR

EASTERN NEBRASKA COMMUNITY OFFICE OF RETARDATION

INTER-AGENCY MEMO

TO: All ENCOR Employees
FROM: Brian Lensink
DATE: September 26, 1972
REASON: "Know Your Senators and Candidates" Program

I am writing to urge all of you to attend the Greater Omaha Association for Retarded Children's "Know Your Senators and Candidates" program which will be held at the Duchesne Academy Auditorium, 3601 Burt, October 11, 1972 at 7:30 P.M. Please go whether you are a GOARC member or not. As you know, this is a critical year when it comes to legislation for the mentally retarded. Now you have an opportunity to find out who the candidates and Senators are in each of your districts as well as a chance to hear them speak and to meet them personally.

GOARC has provided this excellent opportunity. I'm urging each of you to take advantage of it!

Sincerely,

Brian Lensink
Brian Lensink
Executive Director
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RECREATION REVIEW

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This newsletter is published monthly for Children and Teens in Sarpy, Cass, and Douglas counties by the ENCOR Developmental Recreation Department.

Boys, ages 8 - 18, who are interested in joining the BOYS CLUB OF OMAHA please contact:

Lee E. Anderson, 451-1773, North Omaha

Jim Johnson, 558-8706, South Omaha

Boys, ages 8 - 16, who are interested in joining either Cub Scouts or Boy Scouts, please contact Jim Johnson at 558-8706. We will try to find a pack or troop in your neighborhood to participate in a special cooperative program with ENCOR.

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- 7 SATURDAY - Adventure School, Christ Child, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 2111 Emmett or 1248 South 10 Street.
- 7 SATURDAY - Boxing, Bryant Center, 2417 Grant, 10:00-11:00 a.m., ages 8-18, call Lee Anderson, 451-1773.
- 7 SATURDAY - *Hummel Park, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., ages 7-16, \$1.00, children and teens in South Omaha will meet at Hanscom Park Pavilion at 9:30 a.m. Children and teens in Benson and West Omaha will meet at Benson Park Pavilion at 9:45 a.m. Register by October 6 by calling Jim Johnson, 558-8706, or Sue Elliott, 451-3705.*

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- 14 SATURDAY - *Fontenelle Forest, 9:00a.m.-12:30p.m., ages 7-16, \$1.25. Children and teens in Benson and West Omaha will meet at Benson Park Pavilion at 9:00a.m. Children and teens in South Omaha will meet at Hanscom Park Pavilion at 9:15 a.m. Register by October 13 by calling Jim Johnson, 558-8706, or Sue Elliott, 451-3705.*
- 14 SATURDAY - Northside Special, Northside YMCA, 2311 North 22 Street, 9:00a.m.-12:00, ages 6-15, for registration call Lee E. Anderson, 451-1773.
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- 21 SATURDAY - *Trip to the Farm, 9:00a.m.-12:30p.m., ages 7-16, \$1.25. Children and teens in South Omaha will meet at Hanscom Park Pavilion at 9:00a.m. Children and teens in Benson and West Omaha will meet at Benson Park Pavilion at 9:15a.m. Register by October 20 by calling Jim Johnson, 558-8706, or Sue Elliott, 451-3705. *
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- 28 SATURDAY - *Hayrack Ride, 10:00 a.m.-12:00, R & R Stables, 8259 South 32 Street, \$1.50, call Jim Johnson, 558-8706, or Sue Elliott, 451-3705. *
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Sue Elliott - Benson and Northwest Community Consultant - 451-3705
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Jim Johnson - South and Southwest Community Consultant - 558-8706

RECREATION REVIEW

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Register now for the South Omaha Social Group, Saturdays 1:00-3:00p.m., call Jim Johnson, 558-8706.

Register now for the Northeast Omaha Social Club. We will plan a variety of fun activities. Contact Lee Anderson, 451-1773.

OCTOBER

- 1 SUNDAY - League Bowling, call Sue Elliott, 451-3705.
- 2 MONDAY - Ceramic Class, Wesley House, 2001 North 35 Street, 7:00-9:00 p.m., cost \$5.00, call Lee Anderson, 451-1773.
- 3 TUESDAY - South Omaha Square Dancing and Social Dancing, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Pella Lutheran Church, 41st & Farnam, call Jim Johnson, 558-8706.
- 4 WEDNESDAY - Adult Mini Program, Arts & Crafts & Cooking, Christ Child, 1248 South 10th, call Jim Johnson, 558-8706.
- 4 WEDNESDAY - Bellevue Square Dancing, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Reed Community Center.
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- 6 FRIDAY - Bellevue Bowling, 2:00-4:00 p.m., \$1.20.
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- 7 SATURDAY - Cass Bowl, Weeping Water, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
- 7 SATURDAY - *Special Event, UNO Mavericks Football, 1:30 p.m., University Stadium, free admission available, call Jim Johnson, 558-8706.*
- 7 SATURDAY - Bellevue Pool and Pizza Party, 7:30-10:30 p.m., cost \$4.00, call Flip at 558-8706 by October 5 for registration.
- 7 SATURDAY - *Special Event, Omaha Mustang Football, Rosenblatt Stadium, 8:00 p.m., limited number of free tickets are available from Jim Johnson, 558-8706.*
- 7 SATURDAY - Camping trip, Two Rivers Recreation Area, call Jim Johnson, 558-8706.
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- 14 SATURDAY - *Football Game, Mustangs vs. Indianapolis, 8:00-10:30 p.m., Rosenblatt Stadium, call Flip, 558-8706 by October 11 for registration.*
- 14 SATURDAY - Camping trip, Fall Color Special, Ponca State Park, call Jim Johnson for reservations, 558-8706.
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- 17 TUESDAY - Billiard Party, 6:30-7:30 p.m., 75¢, Billiard Center, 6311 Ames, call Lee Anderson, 451-1773, by October 14 for registration.
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